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A GOOD MAN DOES GOOD MERELY BY LIVING.--Bulwer

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NEWS of the WEEK

BONUS
Washington, D. C.—Forty-three states after the President's veto message had been read to the House of Representatives, Congressmen had voted 324-61, to pass the "Baby Bond" Bonus Bill in spite of his disapproval. Three days later the Senate backed them 73-19.

PAINLESS DENTISTRY
New York City—Dr. Leroy L. Leman dispensed free copies of pain-killing formula to 3,200 dentists assembled in the Hotel Commodore. Composed of Thymol, Alcohol and Sulphuric Ether, it deadens the anguish formerly caused by drilling. Half-ounce bottles—enough for 200 applications—on sale at 75 cents.

LEAP YEAR
Madison, Ill.—Making most of the year tradition which allows men to propose to eligible girls, Ernest Krool, editor of the Match-Times, printed a list of local bachelors under the heading "Here they are, girls."

PARTY INSURED
Munnell Bluffs, Ia.—George S. Wright's insurance policy directs that if the 67-year-old bachelor before 1940, three friends shall die \$1,000. With it they must "good" whiskey and hold a party twenty guests, each accompanied by a friend of the opposite sex other than wife or husband.

WAR FOR INDEPENDENCE
Damascus, Syria—Inspired by exiled leader Fakray Baroudi, nationalists cooked up an anti-English riot which caused six deaths and 150 arrests. Grievances: the French mandate Syrian industries lack protective tariffs, imports have declined 75% in years.

HOT TOWN
Detroit, Mich.—Frozen over with six inches of ice.

CHEAP MONEY
New York City—Kuhn, Loeb and Company, bankers specializing in war securities, offer \$40,000,000 of Pennsylvania Railroad serial mortgage bonds at 3½%. Pennsylvania, which has paid dividends throughout the decade, is the first road in 30 to get long term public money less than 4%.

EXCUSED
Los Angeles, Cal.—When three failed to answer summons for traffic violations, Chief War-tor R. L. D. Nord explained: "They've all been killed in traffic accidents."

UTH SETS BURGLAR FIRE
Climore, Md.—"Don't stop me, a burglar in that house, going for a policeman," lied a stranger running out of T. Guld's residence into the Warren de Pre's Fire Department. de Pre's released later discovered that it was burglar himself.

LICK'S SONG CENSORED
Chicago, Ill.—Controversial Chicagoan, when Robert R. Art Institute Director refused to have Jules Breton's "Song of the Lark" removed from the collection of his museum to the Garfield Administration Building, reproduced on thousands of post cards and voted the favorite at the 1932 World's Fair, Chicago voted it must make "better art."

DYATH IN A CAR
Westerville, Ohio—A heart attack in a stalled car killed George W. West, 46, who had been ill for several weeks under Taft Street. He died Thursday night. Mrs. West, 41, a cancer patient, had been suffering for some time.

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BETHEL, MAINE, THURSDAY, JANUARY 30, 1936

THE RUMFORD CITIZEN, 1906

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SCHOOL BUS—TOWN TRUCK COLLIDE WEDNESDAY

While on its North Bethel trip Wednesday morning, the Bethel school bus, driven by Frank Flint, collided with the town truck plow outfit in the curve between the residences of Paul Thurston and E. E. Bennett. The plow was pushed by two trucks and when the front one stopped or slowed down the rear one caused the outfit to "jackknife" into the path of the bus. The side of the bus was crushed in and several of the shatterproof windows shattered. The children were shaken up and Carl and Carolyn Wight, children of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wight suffered scratches. Bus damage was confined to the body, which will be repaired over the week end.

HERE AND THERE IN MAINE

It has been estimated that there are 21,412 veterans in Maine holding certificates, entitling them to \$12,121,627 under the cash payment of the bonus.

Speakers at a public meeting of the Androscoggin County Republican Committee on Feb. 3 will be William R. Pattangall, former Chief Justice of Maine; George H. Moses, former U. S. Senator from New Hampshire, and Miss Nettie Burleigh.

Governor Louis J. Brann announced last Thursday: "I will not be a candidate for Governor."

Two robbers held up an A. & P. store on Main Street, Lewiston, Saturday night, taking \$54. Although police were soon notified it is said they have few clues and have made little progress.

Fire starting in the Thom McAn shoe store, Strand building, Portland, early Sunday morning did damage estimated at \$335,000, and called out all the city's fire apparatus.

Work started Monday on a stone quarry at Carrying Place Cove, near Eastport. The stone will be used in the Quoddy Dam project.

A squadron of army planes will be stationed in Maine next month, for training and flight tests under winter conditions.

BETHEL AND WOODSTOCK FARMERS TO HEAR STATE SPECIALISTS

On Tuesday and Wednesday, February 4 and 5, R. F. Talbot, Extension Dairy Specialist, and Oscar Wyman, Assistant Crops Specialist, will be in Oxford County for Pasture Improvement and Better Quality Roughage meetings. The meeting on Tuesday will be held at the professional. The trail has a drop American Legion Rooms in Bethel, of about 300 feet in its third of a mile distance from the Devil's Hall in Woodstock. Both meetings will start at ten o'clock in the forenoon and last until the middle of the afternoon. Those attending will bring a basket lunch and coffee will be furnished at noon.

Both improved pastures and high quality roughage are vitally important to the economical production of milk or beef. Mr. Talbot and Mr. Wyman have had a lot of experience with hay land and pasture, fertilization and management

qualifications to tell of the experiences of men who have found that these practices pay.

On February 6, County Agent Blanchard will hold a Pasture Improvement and Better Quality Roughage meeting in South Thomaston. These will be the first of a series of meetings on these subjects to be held throughout the county.

DID YOU HEAR THOSE LIONS ROAR?

Perhaps not, but if you should walk up Broad Street, you may hear the lowing of the big corn-fed steer that Marsh Hastings is getting ready to be drawn, quartered

and roasted to satisfy the hunger of those who will assemble at the Congregational Dining Room on the evening of Feb. 12th. Sam will do the roasting, and whether you prefer your portion rare, medium or well-done, you can be assured of having your wish gratified. Two hundred tickets only will be sold, and while they last they can be secured of John Butts, H. C. Rowe, Louis Van, Myron Bryant and Doc Greenleaf. Both the Lions Club and the Boy Scouts will appreciate your help in making this "benefit" a 100% success.

Police have been asked to search for Oliver Hamlin Jr., 13 year old Rockland boy, who has been missing since Monday.

LOCAL SKI TRAIL MATCH FOR EXPERTS

The new Devil's Kitchen Ski Trail, which was engineered last summer and fall by Herbert Rowe, John Twaddle, Robert Littlehale and Dana Brooks, is now in use. The trail on its upper stretches is

suitable for beginners, but the lower

end would tax the technique of

the expert. The trail has a drop

of about 300 feet in its third of a

mile distance from the Devil's

Hill road.

A 20 foot tower which was started last fall is still uncompleted, but

with interest as it is at present, next

season should see the present pro-

ject finished and greater skiing ac-

tivities hereabouts than ever be-

fore.

MRS. ALICE FARRINGTON

The sudden death of Mrs. Alice Crooker Farrington occurred Friday morning, Jan. 24, at nine o'clock, from heart failure. She had been ill in bed less than a week.

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Mrs. Farrington was a well be-

loved member of her community

and leaves a host of friends to

mourn her loss.

Funeral services were held at the Union Church at two o'clock, Sunday afternoon, January 26. Interment will take place in the cemetery in the family lot at Lockett Mills.

Richard Davis was home from Worcester to attend Boston over the week end.

Herbert Ross, G. B. George, Dr. George and John Twaddle attended the Interim and section meetings given by the Interim Club under the auspices of the Bethel Community Club of Bethel Thursday evening.

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BETHEL AND VICINITY

Miss Elizabeth Morse is visiting Miss Ida Packard.

Fred Aubin of Bryant Pond visited in town Sunday.

Mrs. Annie Craig is visiting friends at Farmington.

Will Bean is very sick at his home on Mason Street.

Guy Rice and Harlan Hutchins went to Boston Sunday.

Dr. W. B. Twaddle was ill several days the first of the week.

F. F. Bean and H. E. Jordan were in Portland Wednesday.

Mrs. Arthur Cutler was confined to her home by illness last week.

Miss Marion Hutchins is visiting Mrs. Edwin Martinson of Groton, Mass.

Wendell Gibbs left Sunday for North Andover, Mass., where he has employment.

Mrs. Virginia Little has returned to her work at Rowe's store after two weeks illness.

Miss Dorothy Staples of Westbrook was a week end guest of Mrs. Fannie Carter.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeland Clark went to Hartford, Conn., the first of the week for a few days visit.

Mrs. J. C. Metcalf of Farmington Locke Mills and lived with her and Augusta is visiting her parents until her marriage August 18, 1938, to Oliver P. Farrington, a well known citizen of the Town of Linwood Lowell, is very ill Greenwood, who died on March 18, 1939. She is survived by two nephews, Charles F. Farrington, a brother of her first husband, who died July 18, 1918.

Her nephew-in-law and neice, Mr. and Mrs. John Kimball and infant daughter Louise came to live

with her soon after the death of her second husband, Mrs. Kimball

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cousins.

She is survived by two nephews, Herbert Crooker of Arlington, Mass., Harold Crooker of Bethel; two great nephews, Wilbur and Edgar Crooker and two grandnieces, Alice and Eleanor Crooker, of Beverley, Mass.; besides the niece, Miss Louise Kimball, who lived with her. There are several

cousins.

Mrs. Farrington was a well beloved member of her community and leaves a host of friends to mourn her loss.

There will be another card party by the Legion and Auxiliary members at the Legion room, Feb. 5.

Miss Milo McAllister and Mrs. Winfield Hill are serving as hostesses.

Miss Mary Tibbetts of Wheaton College, John Twaddle of Boston University and Stanley Allen of Baldwin College are at their homes here for a few days.

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SONGO POND

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kimball and family went to Sebago Sunday.

Miss Florence Kimball went to Lowell to work.

Miss Mildred Kimball and Weston Bennett were callers of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Kimball over the week end.

Christine Pinkham and her Kimball were callers at Ivy Hill Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Parker and family were callers at Leslie Kimball Sunday.

Arthur Kimball, Mabeline Parker and Walter R. Kimball, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kimball Sunday.

Arthur Kimball and brother Arthur Lawrence, were callers at Alice Kimball's one day last week.

Eben Barker called at Wendell Barker's one day last week.

Mr. Will McAllister has returned to Mr. McAlister's Toronto after visiting her mother, Mrs. Annie, for a few weeks.

Eddie Cross and family were callers at Leonard Kimball's Sunday.

Christine Pinkham visited Helen Kimball Sunday.

Mrs. Winona Emery was ill several days last week.

The snow plow has been very busy for the last week trying to keep the snowdrifts plowed out only 200 were enrolled.

Walter and Warren Lapham were callers at their father's, Dolly Lapham's Sunday.

Miss Helen Kimball called on her new leader, Mrs. Ethel Burrows and the club agent, Miss Darla Rosen, Tuesday, January 21. This community has not had a girls' club since 1929. The following officers for the Bear Mountain Club were elected:

President—Nancy Hamlin Vice President—Diana Burnham Secretary—Edith Rose Treasurer—Norma Holman Color Bearer—Nancy Marr Cheer Leader—Ruth Haynes Club Monitor—Alice Gaudet.

The second meeting will be held at Mrs. Ethel Burgess' home on Saturday, Feb. 1.

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New Subscriber's Name

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Town and State

ERYANT POND

The Ladies Aid gave a supper last Thursday night but because of the storm it was not very well attended.

Mrs. Homer Farnum has been ill with an abscess in her ear. Homer Farnum, who was very ill with double pneumonia is gaining. Mrs. Flossie Perham and Miss Hope Ring, both local graduate nurses are caring for them.

Mrs. Alta Hendrickson, Woodstock High student, has the mumps.

Schools in town opened this week after a week's mid-year vacation.

The local basketball team expects to play Andover here Friday night.

The P. T. A. will hold a public Bingo party at the school-house Saturday night.

Mrs. Alice Milton, a former teacher here, is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. H. Kirke Stowell.

The Ladies Aid met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Arthur Andrews. They are having a membership contest and already have several new members.

The P. T. A. are rehearsing for a play, "Chintz Cottage" to be given at the Grange Hall Feb. 14.

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**FARM BUREAU GROUPS
ELECT OFFICERS**

Miss Iva Bartlett was in Gorham Saturday.

Mrs. Frank Hale was in Bethel Tuesday.

Mrs. Dorothy Tucker was home Boston over the week end.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carmeno Onofrio is quite sick.

Franklin Burris is in Cambridge, where he has prospects of employment.

Joseph Perry was home from field over the week end.

A number of our young people attended the basketball game at Bethel, Saturday night.

Mrs. Lottie Hutchinson and daughter Laura from Hebron were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kendall and family were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hazen Lowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Abbott were today callers of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Taylor.

The friends of Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Lowell are in sympathy with them in the illness of their little daughter Elizabeth.

Carmeno Onofrio was home from away over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cushing and son Ronald of Hebron were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Douglass Douglass.

Marguerite Brooks has gone to Portland to assist Mrs. Linwood, well in her household duties.

Clarence Bennett was in Portland one day last week.

Chester Wheeler of West Bethel, member of the Weed Killers 4-H Club, raised five tons of carrots on half acre. Chester was County champion in the Garden project last year.

None 4-H clubs had an enrollment of 4,243 on January 15.

Election of officers and planning the program of work for the coming year have been the outstanding business of the recent Farm Bureau groups. Officers have been elected as follows in the communities of Norway, Bryant Pond, North Paris and Welchville:

Norway

Chairman—Mrs. Agnes McCready.

Ass't Chairman—Mrs. William Young.

Secretary—Mrs. Gertrude W. Libby.

Treasurer—Mrs. Mary Newcomb.

Clothing—Mrs. Merle Brown.

Foods—Mrs. Frances Bailey.

Ass't Foods—Mrs. Edith Greenleaf.

Home Management—Mrs. May Bonney.

4-H Clubs—Mrs. Muriel Brown.

Woodstock

Chairman—Mrs. Gertrude Redman.

Secretary—Mrs. Lora Noyes.

Clothing—Mrs. Corel Perham.

Foods—Mrs. Myrtle Hayes.

Home Management—Mrs. Annie Crockett.

Ass't Home Management—Mrs. Myrtle Clifford.

Ass't Chairman—Mrs. Flossie Twitchell.

4-H Clubs—Mrs. Anne Jordan.

North Paris

Chairman—Mrs. Alfred Andrews.

Secretary—Mrs. Alice D. Coffin.

Community President—Mrs. Alice D. Coffin.

Clothing—Mrs. Leland Dunham.

Foods—Mrs. Elden Garey.

Home Management—Mrs. Milford Herrick.

4-H Clubs—Mrs. Erwin Trask.

Welchville

Chairman—Mrs. Celia Lake.

Secretary—Mrs. Thelma Brett.

Treasurer—Mrs. Alice Tyner.

Clothing—Mrs. Charlotte Hunting.

Foods—Mrs. Florence Brett.

Home Management—Mrs. Carolyn Hannaford.

4-H Clubs—Mrs. Florence Brett.

EAST BETHEL

The whist party held Monday evening at the Grange Hall was well attended in spite of the stormy weather. This party was the last in a series of four held by Alder River Grange. High scores for the evening were won by Mrs. Marguerite Bartlett and Willard Farwell.

Guy Bartlett, the grand prizes for the series were won by Mrs. Ross Brooks and son Stanley, Victor Brooks has been obliged to leave school and help at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ranald Stevens and children, Catherine and Mary, Mr. Bartlett with the score of 105 and points and Willard Farwell with 103 points.

Another series is being planned to be held at homes, as the hall is so cold.

At the next meeting of Alder River Grange, February 3, Rev.

Mr. MacKillop from Bryant Pond will be the speaker. Refreshments will be served after the meeting.

Willis Ward who has been seriously ill is much improved.

Donald Stanley has been doing Willis Ward's chores during his illness.

Due to the illness of Mrs. D. S.

Brooks and son Stanley, Victor

Brooks has been obliged to leave

school and help at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kimball and son Larry were in Lewiston over the week end visiting friends.

Ernest Buck spent Sunday with his family on Swan Hill and reported much snow in Newry, but not enough to handicap his activities.

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The United States Department of Agriculture has no tree seed and no seeds or plants for sale. All who request them meet certain disappointment.

One Maine Dairyman has installed ultra-violet lamps over his dairy herd in an effort to improve the health of the cows and to increase the vitamin content of the milk.

Our office is temporarily closed temporarily, during which time Mr. Perley Wing is in charge of the place. Mr. Wing may be reached at his home in Walter Bartlett's house, Chapman Street.

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Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 5th and 6th

An Inspector and clerks will be at above places on dates mentioned.

May we have your cooperation in this effort to help you?

DEPARTMENT OF STATE

Motor Vehicle Division

Frank Osgood and L. C. Stevens have completed their work for E. Davis, due to deep snow and a shortage of teams.

Several of the young people of this vicinity enjoyed a sliding party Sunday afternoon and evening.

In spite of the cold weather the Middle Intervale Farm Bureau met with good attendance and discussed "The Herb Garden." The dinner consisted of corn chowder with a fruit salad dessert.

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THURSDAY, JANUARY 29, 1936

BETHEL NEEDS
More and Better Sidewalks—winter
and summer
Night Watchman—All the Year
Rural Fire Protection
Enforced Traffic Rules
Australian Ballot System for Town
Meetings

Bethel's roads and village streets
have in general been well plowed
this winter. The complaint most
frequently heard comes from those
who repeatedly are forced to shovel
out their paths and driveways after
a plow passes. It does seem that
residents are imposed upon many
times in this way, although those
who throw the snow into the street
when clearing their own paths
should not complain.

With the closing of the Stowell-
MacGregor mill last fall Bethel has
been faced with a serious situation.
Although at the time many of the
employees were able to find work
those whose new employment is not
near home will not stay here indefinitely.
If local interests cannot be organized or adapted to use
this plant, concerted action by the
town or some local group should
be started to make a thorough effort
to attract industries here. If
the Stowell-MacGregor and Morrill-
Adams mill properties were operated
advantageously, Bethel would
enjoy a much increased prosperity.

"THIS IS A GOOD COUNTRY"

(Industrial Press Service)

Sometimes the malcontents make
so much noise we forget about the
people who are the thinking, frugal
working backbone of the country.
Then something happens to wake us up, like this letter we just got
from a Utah farmer:

"We are living in a very interesting time. I have never seen so much unreal. Anything goes at this time just so a certain element can get something for nothing. We are ruled by a class that don't know a hand from a shovel. All they know is the school room. As long back as I can remember, I have heard the old story that the rich are getting richer and the poor poorer.

"I have visited eleven nations and was born in a foreign country. I do know this is the best country in the world. Anyone who will work hard can climb the ladder to success."

"It will be 75 years next April that with my mother we started from the coast for the U.S. We came from Omaha to Utah with an ox team. I walked all the way. With no education and as poor as anyone could be I have made my way up the ladder to the \$150,000 mark, but it has taken hard work and some foresight. I have never had a dollar given to me, but have given thousands away. It makes me tired to hear a lot of pinheads get together and plot against the man who has the nerve to get out and do things."

"In my early manhood, 15 of us young men located on a stream in Idaho. All any of us had was our teams. I bought some of my neighbors out through foresight. I worked hard. Today I own more land, more water, more horses, cattle and sheep than the 15 who are left all combined. Under the plan of some I should divide up. No. This

New Form of Federal "Aid."



ECONOMIC HIGHLIGHTS

Happenings That Affect the Dinner
Plans, Dividend Checks and Tax
Bills of Every Individual, National
and International Problems
Inseparable from Local Welfare.

As was anticipated following the Supreme Court's adverse decision on the constitutionality of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, the air has been filled with new agricultural programs. It looks as if every person or group with a medium for reaching an audience has a plan to offer. Many plans are so obviously "screwy" that they die at birth. Others have insufficient backing to give them any chance at all to become law. At this writing two plans, both emanating from important and powerful sources, are receiving the principal attention, and the difference between these plans is preparing the field for first class political warfare which will grow in aggressiveness as election time approaches.

One of the two plans, created with astonishing speed following AAA's demise, bears the stamp of Administration approval, and came out of a conference of government officials and farm leaders. The other plan is the product of the titular head of the Republican Party, ex-President Herbert Hoover. Mr. Hoover and the New Deal are largely in accord on farm credits, cooperative marketing and submarginal lands. The great difference between them is that Mr. Hoover believes that forced crop reduction is dangerous and unnecessary; the New Deal believes it is essential to a farm program that will succeed. It is on this point that Republican and Democratic farm relief spokesmen will fight many hard battles in the next few months.

Interesting issue now is, What about the money paid by producers to the AAA—money paid under the terms of a law that was illegal? About \$200,000,000 of this money was held in escrow, when concerns paid it under protest awaiting the Supreme Court decision, and a lower court has held it must be returned to the firms in question. Whether this decision will be appealed by the Government is not yet known. And no one knows whether the Government would be liable for the hundreds of millions in processing taxes which have been collected and spent though there is no dearth of conflicting legal opinions on the matter.

Under the plan, payments to farmers would be continued—but the checks would not, theoretically at least, be given to producers in return for agreements not to produce. Instead the government would lease land from farmers, paying them for it, and retire the land from production. Also the government would put into effect a diversified planting program designed to increase soil fertility. Money for this could not be obtained through special taxes, as was the case with the AAA and its processing tax but would come from general funds. It is obvious that, under this new plan, the government would have complete control over production as it did when the AAA was alive.

Mr. Hoover's program was put forward in one of the best-organized, best-delivered speeches he has ever made, at Lincoln, Nebraska. The ex-President heartily assailed the New Deal's "economy of scarcity," commented scathingly on the fact that from a nation which used to be a great exporter of farm pro-

NEWS OF THE WEEK

Continued from Page One

BUSINESS BOOMING

Washington, D. C.—Federal statisticians add to the recovery by announcing that American exports last year exceeded the figures by 7%, imports by 24%. Both totals are the highest since 1931. Jessie H. Jones of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation revealed that his lending agency netted a profit of \$33,472,000.

THEORIES ON THE AIR

New York City—N. B. C.'s broadcast of the Town Hall debate on Townsend Plan did not include marks by the plan's founder as had flown off to California for reasons I cannot divulge. Nevertheless, it fitted into the scheme of the program director, George Dyny, who says, "We don't give damn about Coughlins, Johnnes and Townsends as such. All want is intelligent discussion."

LEAGUE'S CHILD MISBEHAVIOR

Geneva, Switzerland—League Council shocked its finger Nazis of the free city of Danzig, who say, have been running the local government as though were part of Hitler's Germany. Arthur Greiser, president of the Nazi Senate, agreed to try constitutional government.

CONTINENTAL COLLEAGUE

Washington, D. C.—Sen. Theodore G. Bilbo of Mississippi was once sent to jail for contempt of court by Federal Judge Edwin R. Holmes, learned that judge was up for reappointment. Bilbo rushed to the hearing, tackled the judge's sponsor, Sen. Pat Harrison—also of Mississippi: "I'm in the market for a colleague who will show some respect for me."

WHAT NEXT, FARMERS?

Washington, D. C.—Just questions bother the legislators who want to make the Soil Conservation Act replace the cult AAA. Will the Supreme Court let them do it? Where will they get necessary funds? One Senator reflected that the new act sounds like "48 little chicks under same old hen;" another asked the cash question: "Ask yourself where the money is coming from!"

ROVING PROFESSORS

Cambridge, Mass.—Prof. James Bryant Conant of Harvard recommends free-lance educational roving professorships, he gested to his Board of Overseers would free lecturers from departmental rules and thereby attract new class of scientific experts.

FEDERAL FRIGHT

Washington, D. C.—Who owns the railroads? Joseph L. Eastman, who as Federal Coordinator of Transportation been helping to run them, said that "Conditions are not propitious for public ownership." But he does suggest that the government should carry out reorganization and assume control of water carriers and trucks.

GREENWOOD CENTER

Miss Evelyn Seames of Hill visited with relatives in place last week.

"Billy" White of Rockport, Mass., is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lester Cole at the present time. White arrived here Thursday having come here on the night he has been here, he has visited with a friend at 824 Main Street.

Miss Mary Martin called on A. M. Whitman at Waterford Saturday afternoon.

William Bailey visited his aunt, Mrs. Ella Bradford, at Paris over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron West Poland called on relatives in the place Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. R. L. Martin and daughter Mary with Lee Miller called on relatives of the Wests at West Paris, Sunday afternoon.

Did you ever want to put a hole in a leather belt or in a leather shoe strap, and did you ever make a notch in it? Well, the next time you make a new "notch" in your article, just heat a long iron.

It is red hot, then force it into the desired spot in the leather. It may be done quickly and even hole will result.

GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

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GOULD ACADEMY

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E WEDDING LOSSES TO OXFORD

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GOULD ACADEMY NOTES

Following pupils gave donations in assembly hall last Federal Judge Dwight Stiles, Lawrence learned that Irene Foster, Maynard reappointed, Huston Dodge, Elizabeth, Donald Brown, Frank Little, sponsor, Kenneth Brooks, Arthur also of Missman, Donald Bennett, Jessie market for a John King, Norrine Waterhouse, Constance Philbrook, Christopher, Helen Stevens, Edgar age, Mildred Vail, Barbara Louise Jacobs, Vivian Ber Geraldine Stanley, Dorothy Bryant Bean.

Girls' Class Teams
Dorothy Hanscom announces the following members of girls' inter-class basketball team. The opening games will early in February. Subs—Marjorie Berry, Evelyn Rosalind Rowe, Betty Phyllis Davis, Esther Baker. Subs: Alice Reynolds, Warren, Dorothy Irish.

Seniors—Ann Lyndon, Margaret Courcey, Barbara Moore, Margaret Tibbets, Rita Hutchins, Diane Philbrook. Subs: Eleanor Hunt, Ina Bean, Vivian Crouse, Geraldine Chapman, Harry Coolidge, and Captain Gard Twaddle holding basketball.

Waldo County Farmers Report Good Crops

1908-9 TEAM WON EVERY GAME GORHAM NORMAL ON RADIO PROGRAM

The basketball team of Gould Academy in 1908-9 won every game played that season, in spite of the resignation of its captain, Charles the speaker on "Maine Schools on Hamlin, from both the captaincy the Air," an educational program and the team, and the inability of devoted to activities, needs and interests of the schools of the state on a coach. Several teams who were on the previous year's list declined to play, but the scores of those who did play reflect the ability of the team.

Gould 48—Gorham 9
Gould 56—Berlin 6
Gould 29—Bridgton 10
Gould 48—Bates 19 11
Gould 9—Andover 11
Gould 9—Bridgton 8

The last Bridgton game was not finished, accounts of the game stating that "after an open assault, the offending player not being removed from the game, Goulds left the floor early in the second half."

The players shown in last week's illustration are: standing—George Massey, Roy Thurston, Ivan Arno, Mgr. Elton Coolidge; seated—Philip Chapman, Harry Coolidge, and Captain Gard Twaddle holding basketball.

GORHAM NORMAL SCHOOL

The Gorham Normal School basketball team met the Rhode Island State College of Education at Russell Hall here at 7:45 p. m. Saturday. Although Gorham dropped games to Keene, N. H., Normal and Salem, Mass., teachers last week end, confidence ran high for a victory over the R. I. C. E. boys.

The mixed double quartet, under the direction of Miss Miriam Andrews sang two selections, "Salutation" by Carlys and "Goodnight, Goodeight Beloved" by Pineau.

Members of the quartet are: Virginia Brown, Virginia Hagen, Margaret Johnson, Ada Senior, Richard Barbour, John Rand, Stanley Gay, Arnold Walker and Betty Kelley, accompanist.

The game with Keene which was postponed on December 19, is scheduled here for February 1. The team is confident of home games because of unusual support of the students.

This program, under the direction of Harrison C. Lyseth, is heard over the station WCHS every Sunday at 6:30 p. m.

EAST STONEHAM

Hannah Richardson Tent No. 19, Daughters of Union Veterans, met Wednesday evening, Jan. 22 for their regular meeting. Owing to the extreme cold and icy roads only 19 members were present. The new officers filled their chairs and did their work in a very creditable manner.

Rev. Ralph Brandon conducted the Sunday morning church services at East Stoneham. It was his last service here as he and his family leave Monday morning for Ohio.

Georgia McAllister returned to her home here on Sunday. She has been with her daughter, Mrs. Edith Rogers of Norway for the past month.

Arlene Chaplin is ill again and unable to attend school.

Mrs. Christie Nelson is also on the sick list.

Sunday was an ideal day for outdoor sports and the young people in this section took advantage of it. The hills were dotted with the boys and girls skiing and snowshoeing.

Mrs. Esther Walker and children also Mr. and Mrs. Will Day and children of Harrison were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dadmun, on Sunday.

William Walker, who works at West Lovell was at his home over Sunday.

J. C. Bills, the medicine show man, is in town. He will hold his shows in the K. of P. Hall.

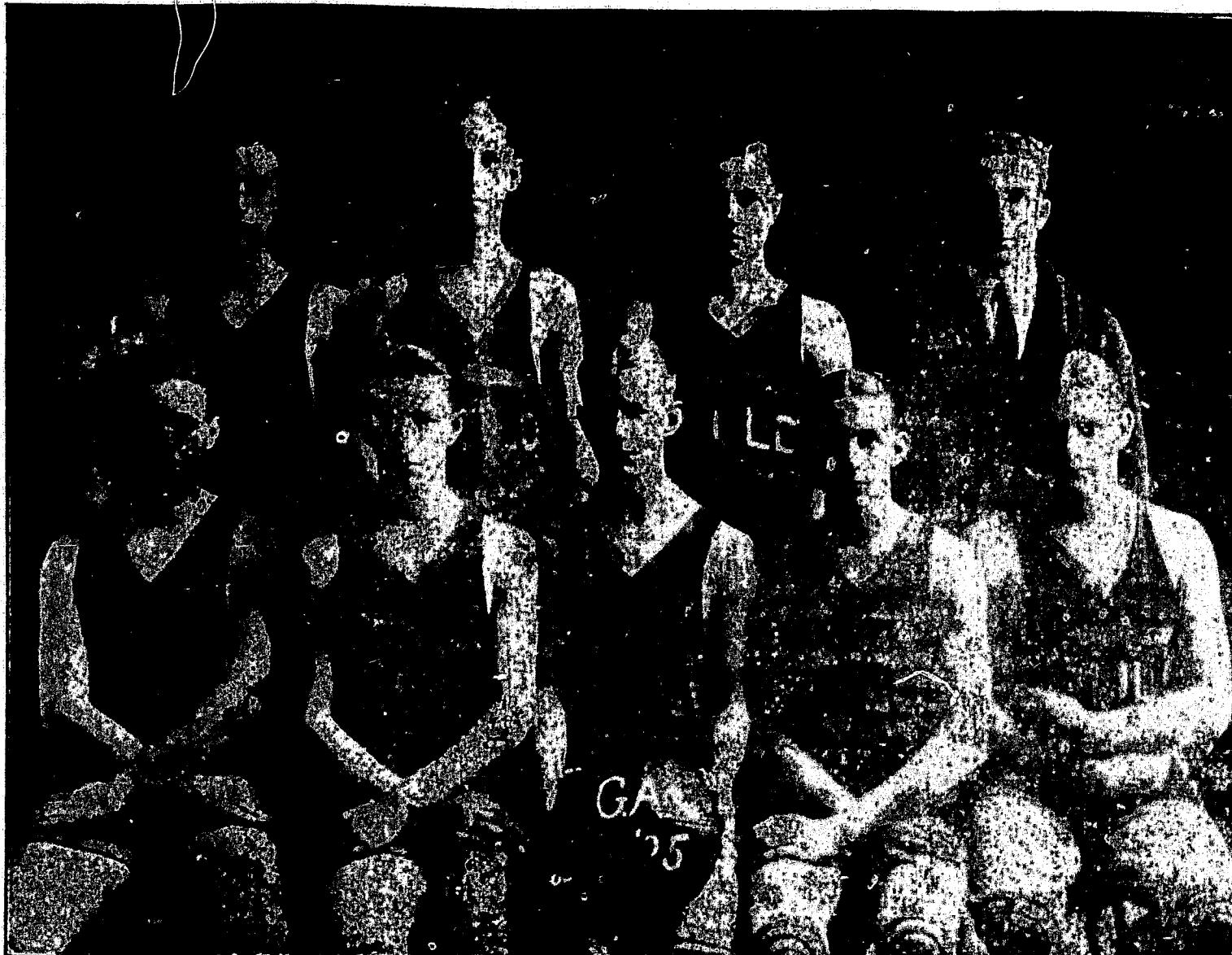
The four-masted schooner Alvena, leaving Portland for Jacksonville, Fla., after discharging a cargo of lumber, collided with the Portland Lightship Friday night.

The ship was in danger of sinking.

The Alvena was towed back to the anchorage in the lower harbor; its

damage estimated at \$4,000.

DO YOU REMEMBER THEM? . . .



Jordan, Althea Cushing and Myrtle Berube.

Eleanor Buck, Rumford and Louise Garland, Dixfield, went on a sleigh ride given by the Poetry Club, Saturday afternoon, Jan. 26. They were entertained by the Band of Workers at the South Gorham Church.

Rao Paredy of Rumford gave a talk at the Art Club meeting Friday on the Italian artist, Chima bu.

Mrs. Gress, teacher at the Gorham Training School, gave a reading Thursday night at the Y. W. C. A. meeting, entitled "Heart of the Rose."

The main topic of conversation at Gorham Normal School the last week has been etiquette due to a questionnaire given to the students by the faculty.

Discovery of a new vitamin has been announced by scientists at the University of Missouri. It is known as vitamin H and is found in cereal grains, yeast, lard and butter.

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WITH THE POETS

To Our Readers—if there is an old song or poem which you cannot find and would like to see in print, write the Citizen. If we are unable to locate it possibly another reader can furnish it for publication.

THE COLD SPARE BED
(New England Farmer)

When you have a friend to visit you, if she be a welcome guest, You will try to make her happy, and you'll give her of your best; You'll tell her all the story of your varied household cares, And everlasting you'll prate about your own affairs; But whatever else you do, don't for heaven's sake, be led To put that helpless woman in the cold spare bed.

You may tell her of your troubles with your numerous hired girls, And what "she said," and what "I said," till her understanding whirls; You may talk of the servant question 'till the setting moon's last gleam, And begin again next morning on the same old tiresome theme; But whatever else you do, don't for heaven's sake, be led To put that helpless woman in the cold spare bed!

You may tell her of your pains and aches, and what the doctor said, That time you came near dying with neuralgia in your head; If how you poured down bitters, and drops and patena pills, When you caught the dread malitia, and had such awful chills; You may bore her, you may weary her, till she wishes she were dead; But for heaven's sake, don't put her in that cold spare bed!

GRAY

Florence Mercy Walker
"Absolute black or white
Give me, I pray."
Softly the answer comes:
"Life's tints are gray;

"Sorrow with joy allied,
Good with the ill,
Child, in thy twilight haze,
Learn, and be still."

IN A KITCHEN

Edna Jacques
It breathes of home—this little four walled room, Swept clean by sunlight falling on the floor; A red geranium is all abloom; Flowers and sunshine—could I ask for more? In this small kingdom where I reign serene, A woman loved and sheltered by her mate? A garden with its long, clean rows of green; A cat asleep beside the glowing grate, The scent of new-baked bread, the smell of earth. New washed with summer rain, the wind, the dawn, The tranquil round of days, of death and birth, Shake me in passing, 'ere they go away Down the long silence. Yet no echo rings To my warm kitchen where the kettle sings.

R. N. ATHERTON WILL TALK AT WATERFORD MEETING

R. N. Atherton, Extension Economist, Marketing, will attend a meeting in Waterford on Friday, February 7, to discuss farm credit. In connection with this discussion he will take up the keeping of farm records and how to use them to make a credit statement as well as in managing the farm business. This meeting will be the first of a series of meetings throughout Oxford County on Farm Credit during February and March.

Henry Ford says that election years no longer frighten business men. They regard them as just a change of radio performers.

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NEWRY CORNER

Because of the extremely cold weather the Pythian Sisters meeting at Hanover and the Bear River Grange meeting were postponed last week.

Mrs. Addie Robertson has returned from the Community Hospital and is making a good recovery from a surgical operation.

Farm Bureau met this week with Mrs. Ida Wight. Subject for discussion being Herb Gardens.

Mr. and Mrs. John Warren, Mrs. Daisy Warren, Lucy McDonald and Grace Hubert visited friends in Berlin Sunday afternoon and evening.

Mrs. Bryant, teacher in the Powers district spent the week end in South Paris.

Friends of Mrs. Susan Wight are sorry to hear that she will soon enter the hospital for surgery.

The families of Lester Lane and Arnold Eames at North Newry are under quarantine for scarlet fever.

NEWRY BUSY BEES 4-H CLUB

The first club meeting of the year was held at the Powers School, January 10. In the absence of the president, the vice-president, Maude Burnham, presided. Miss Rosen, county leader, attended. She brought painted woodwork for the boys to judge and buttonholes for the girls to judge.

The club decided on a hike and weinie roast at the next meeting, January 25. During the social hour a flower puzzle was enjoyed.

The local club leader, Mrs. Cora Powers, was present and Mrs. Bryant was a visitor.

The second meeting was held on Saturday, Jan. 25, at the home of the local leader, Mrs. Cora Powers. The meeting was conducted by the president, Elizabeth Ball. There were six members present. Raymond Ball was a visitor. Because of the cold weather the weinie roast and hike was postponed. A collection was taken up to buy the winners' Prizes for the judging contest were given out. Maude Burnham received the ribbon for judging buttonholes and Walter Ball for judging painted woodwork. It was decided to take up a collection for a frame for the charter.

Cake was served by Maude Burnham and games were enjoyed. The next meeting will be in February.

One quart of milk a day may well be included in a first rate diet for an adult.

NEWRY

Mrs. William Bryant, teacher of the Powers school, spent the week end in Paris.

Mrs. George Learned visited the school last week, as did also Rev. Ricker and Mr. Pomeroy.

Mrs. Charles Robertson has returned from the hospital much improved in health.

The 4-H Club, Newry Busy Bees, meet at the home of Cora E. Powers, the leader, on Saturday.

POWERS SCHOOL

Pupils not absent for the first three weeks of the winter term are Maude Lewis, Mellen Burnham and Warren Powers. Warren and Mellen have perfect attendance for the year.

Those receiving 100 in Spelling for the week are Walter, Raymond Richard and Annie Ball, Mellen and Everett Burnham, George Learned, Jr., and Warren Powers.

The seventh grade boys' industrial class have made a bookcase from the old organ. Footstools are to be made next week.

The eighth grade girls' sewing class are making hot pot holders. Visitors this week were Mrs. George Learned, Rev. Ricker and Supt. E. R. Pomeroy. The parents are especially urged to visit school.

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For instance, read in this issue the personal items of Bethel and other communities in this section. Read the County news, the State news, and the famous "News of the Week" as prepared by the editors of the News-Week magazine. Read Economic Highlights, With the Poets, The Cook's Corner, 40 Years Ago. Look for the advertisements—read them.

Turn to the Magazine Section. Here are half a dozen articles at least that are worth your time; some of them you will give a second reading. See What Irvin S. Cobb Thinks About, and what Hugh Bradley Says. The children will listen to Thornton Burgess' Story and the funnies. You will find educational interest in the National Geographic Society's article on the Saar, and Mr. Utley's page on American Home Design. If the movies and/or the radio claim a lot of your attention don't overlook Star Dust.

These aren't all the good things in this issue of course, but we have named some that you will want to look for every week. Keep your copies of the Citizen—you will find them a useful week-by-week history. And if your good neighbor has been borrowing your copy, send in his subscription. See our offer on page two.

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NEW DISCOVERY MAKES "PAINLESS DENTISTRY" A REALITY

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Frank Knox Is Fighting Editor

Pen and Fists He Upholds Editorial Independence.

many years ago it was customary, and sometimes a necessity, for every newspaper office to have a member of its staff who bore the title of "fighting editor." Most of the leaders of American journalism grew up in that school, including Frank Knox, the Chicago editor, who is the "favorite of Illinois Republicans for the senatorial nomination this year."

He got into the newspaper business by accident. As a trooper in the Rough Riders in the Spanish-American War he wrote letters home to his mother and proud father. The latter had them printed in the "home town" newspapers. When Knox returned from the war, papers in Grand Rapids offered him a job. He joined the staff of the Grand Rapids Herald and quickly discovered that all the fighting was done in the editorial department.

day an irate citizen who objected to a crusade the paper was carrying on rushed into the shop and grabbed the editor. Knox seized himself into the fray and, in the aid of another reporter, fled in propelling the intruder down the stairs. Thereupon, "fighting editor" who had himself with a fifteen-pound Webster's dictionary, followed after him. It happened that the angry citizen square-headed and knocked him completely.

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another occasion a drunk with a carving knife, called him up the editor. Knox was in a nearby cubby-hole office, and from all means of escape. Armed on the man with a dagger that he "drop that knife and run." At the same time Knox ready to leap the counter, or fight, if necessary to uphold his personal objection to being poked up by anybody. To his amazement, however, the man put his knife and walked out without another word.

not day editors rarely ever lack experiences. There has been change, not only on the part of the reading public but in the papers themselves. Without favor, editors of the fighting Knox now carry on crusades through the publication of facts and fair interpretation, knowing that those who disagree with them nevertheless recognize their sincerity of purpose in service of the public. His battle cry is "Free Press under a well known to his newspaper leagues."

which conducted by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, researches in chemistry and soils led to the system of pasteurization of orange juice that results in both the flavor and vitamin C of the juice. The portion of the orange crop going into juice has increased ten fold in the past five years.

12 and Out

Frank Knox Is Fighting Editor

Pen and Fists He Upholds Editorial Independence.

many years ago it was customary, and sometimes a necessity, for every newspaper office to have a member of its staff who bore the title of "fighting editor." Most of the leaders of American journalism grew up in that school, including Frank Knox, the Chicago editor, who is the "favorite" of Illinois Republicans for the Senate nomination this year. He got into the newspaper business by accident. As a trooper of the Rough Riders in the Spanish-American War he wrote letters home to his mother and proud father. The latter had them printed in "home town" newspapers. Knox returned from the war, papers in Grand Rapids, offered him a job. He joined the staff of the Grand Rapids and quickly discovered that all the fighting was done.

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NORTH PARIS FARM BUREAU PLANNING MEETING

The women of the North Paris Farm Bureau held their annual planning meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Alice D. Coffin with 11 members present. The chairman, Mrs. Alfred Andrews called the meeting to order and called on the H. D. A., Miss Ruth Callaghan, who gave a talk on Parliamentary law.

The secretary gave her report of last meeting and annual report. The nominating committee nominated the following officers for the coming year:

Chairman—Mrs. Alfred Andrews
Secretary—Mrs. Alice D. Coffin
Foods Project Leader—Mrs. Elden Garey
Clothing Project Leader—Mrs. Leland Dunham
Home Management—Mrs. Milford Herrick

As there were no other nominations they were elected. Mrs. Erwin Trask was chosen Club Project Leader; Mrs. Alice D. Coffin, Community President; Mrs. D. H. Perkins to plan exhibit at annual meeting of Oxford County; and Mrs. Arlene Dudley and Mrs. Myron Herrick a committee to see that someone is appointed to look after the children at the meetings. It had been voted in a previous meeting to carry square meals for health. Mrs. William Littlehale was chosen delegate to Orono for Farm and Home Week with Mrs. D. H. Perkins as alternate.

Miss Callaghan explained the different subjects for the coming year and the following program was adopted:

Feb. 20—The Herb Garden
March 12—Raising and Preserving Foods at Home.
April 9—Making the House Homelike.
May 14—Cooking Meat According to the Cut

June 11—Let's Fix It.
June . . .—Health
July 23—Canning Bee
August . . .

Sept. 22—Sewing at Home
Oct. 1—Construction
Oct 20—Finishes
Nov. 19—Supper Dishes
Dec. . .—Clothing Accessories

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WEST PARIS

Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes officiated at the funeral of Mrs. Alice Farriington, at the Union church, Locke Mills, Sunday afternoon.

Maxine, Gertrude and Edwin Mann were at home from Maine Central Institute, Pittsfield, over the week end.

Miss Elnora Curtis was a guest during school vacation week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Blake at Berlin, N. H.

Members of the Young People's Christian Union conducted the morning service at the Universalist church in a very creditable and impressive manner. The order of service:

Voluntary
Doxology
Lord's Prayer
Responsive Reading, Amy Stevens
Hymn
Scripture Reading,

Prayer, Richard Dunham
Response, Amy Stevens
Hymn

Clara Barton Diabetic Camp, Oxford, Mass., Elizabeth Holman State Y. P. C. U. Song, Members Science, Religion and Youth,

Ralph Abbott
Singing
Youth and the Peace Movement, Elnora Curtis
Hymn
Mispat Benedition
Recessional

Shirley Welch, organist Wednesday evening, Rev. Eleanor B. Forbes was hostess to the Y. P. C. U. and invited friends. Games were enjoyed and refreshments served.

Friday evening the Young People's Christian Union sponsored a lecture and stereoptican pictures at Good Will Hall which were interesting and pretty. Oxford County League was invited but was unable to come. Light refreshments were served the audience present and games enjoyed.

SOUTH ALBANY

All snowed in with the largest storm of the season so far.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell attended the Council Meeting at East Stoneham.

Betty Hill spent the week end with Mr. Elsie Morey.

Mrs. Robert Hill and daughters, Margaret and Rachel, were supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wardwell, Sunday night.

The Town Tractor made a trip through this locality, Wednesday.

Mrs. Roy Wardwell and Arthur were in Norway, Wednesday forenoon.

A. B. Kimball and Donald Lewis called at Roy Wardwell's one day last week.

Mrs. Olive Little is making rugs.

NORTH LOVELL

John Meserve has been stopping a few days at Walter Larocque's. Clint Androms has been helping him move his goods to Albany.

A Whist Party was held at the Grange Hall, Wednesday night, Jan. 22. A lunch of sandwiches and coffee was served. The next one will be Thursday night, Jan. 30th. It is planned to hold them every week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Elliott of Berlin, N. H., and Mr. and Mrs. Lafe Flint from Lynchville were visitors at Amos McKeen's, Sunday.

Herbert Cairns helped Freeman Winslow a few days last week.

Freeman Stevens has finished work for Freeman Winslow.

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President
EDWARD DOWDNE
Manager

40 years ago

Quoting THE BETHEL NEWS
Weekly History in USE

The sleighing is being enjoyed by those of our citizens who have teams.

Davis, the Upton stage driver, started out Monday on runners, the first time this year.

A. L. Young has begun shipping ship knees.

Northwest Bethel—Sam Perkins, employed in hauling pulp wood for Wm. Chapman, last week had a very narrow escape from a watery grave. Three teams were coming down the river. Mr. Perkins was ahead and his load tipped a little and he walked by the side of it to see to righting it up, when the ice gave way beneath his feet and he went down into the river to his arms. In an instant the sled broke through, and two cords of pulp went over Mr. P. completely burying him. The men behind succeeded in rescuing him after a few minutes but he was badly bruised and chilled.

POPULAR FEATURES IN FEBRUARY "YANKEE"

The February YANKEE contains an exciting and amusing article about the New England Press by William Pitt.

The White Elephant Road (sometimes known, according to the author, Vrest Orton, as the Green Mountain Parkway) is a lively, thoughtful consideration of a project which has Vermonters thoroughly aroused.

Gladys Hasty Carroll has contributed a short story. So has Walter Hard, the Vermont drug store poet. Bundling, an old New England custom, is another feature your readers will not want to miss.

Harry Elmore Hurd's ski poems is set as the tracks of a skier down a double page spread.

Isabel M. Blake, Yankee schoolmistress, has a few powerful paragraphs on the Teachers' Oath.

Honorable James M. Curley welcomes the Yankee to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts this month.

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NOTICE

The subscriber hereby gives notice that she has been duly appointed executrix of the estate of Rollin L. Stetsen late of Summer in the County of Oxford, deceased and given bonds as the law directs. All persons having demands against the estate of said deceased are desired to present the same for settlement, and all indebted thereto are requested to make payment immediately.

NELLIE L. STETSON
Jan. 21st, 1936. West Paris, Me.

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At L. E. Davis' Lumber Shed, Snow Scops; look them over, compare them with others. Saws filed and all kinds of odd work at reasonable prices. 44p-7

MISCELLANEOUS

Firearms, Ammunition, and Trappers' Supplies, bought, sold, and exchanged by H. I. BEAN, Bethel, Maine. Dealer in Raw Furs, Deer Skins, Hides and Pelts. 21f

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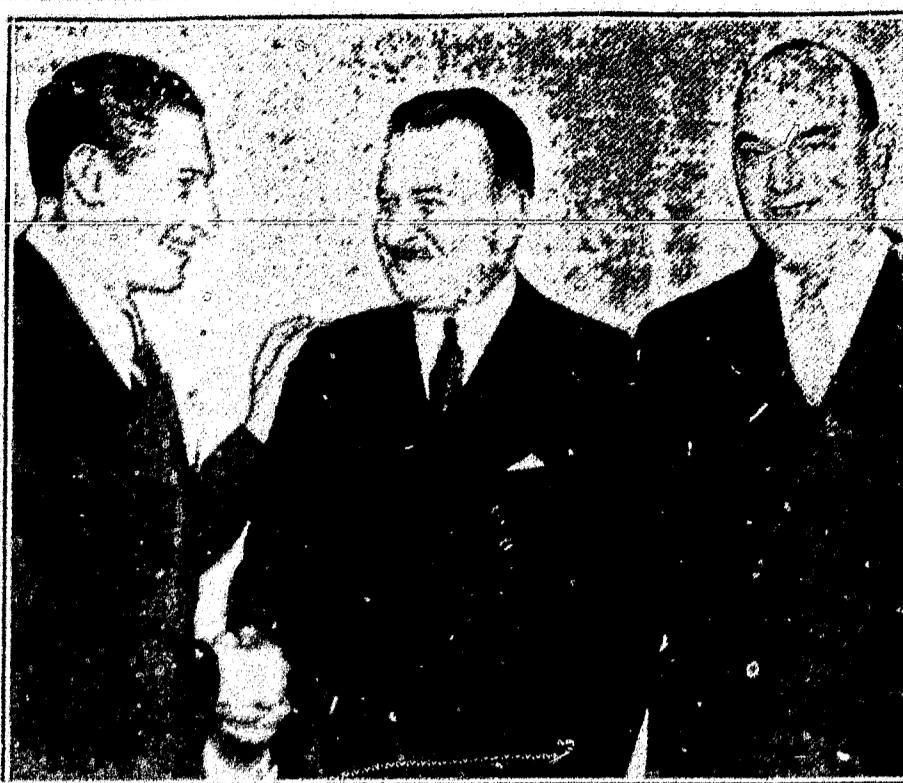
In Norway, Jan. 27, by Rev. M. M. Deems, Richard P. Crockett of South Paris and Miss Rubina Elizabeth Sharpen of Norway.

Died

In Washington, D. C., Jan. 18, Mrs. Sarah E., widow of J. A. Blake Espey, aged 89 years.

In Locke Mills, Jan. 24, Mrs. Alice C., widow of Charles F. Farlington, aged 77 years.

In Rumford, Jan. 24, Jeanette Glines of Andover, aged 14 years, here.

Attend Premiere of Baseball Film

Al Schacht, Boston Red Sox coach, congratulates William S. McLean, director of advertising for the Fisher Body division of General Motors, which produced and will distribute "Take Me Out to the Ball Game," official motion picture of the American League, following its world premiere in Boston. Left to right are, Schacht, Mr. McLean and Umpire George Morlarty, who wrote and directed the film.

GILEAD

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Holden and son Clayton and Mrs. Elizabeth Richardson were visitors in Berlin, N. H., Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Small of Cascades, N. H., was a recent guest of relatives in town.

Lawrence Hathorne, foreman of the U. S. Forest Service at Wild River, has been transferred to Virginia.

James Grotto spent the week end at his home in Berlin, N. H.

Albert Bennett of York Pond.

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NEW COOK BOOK INCREASES INTEREST IN MANY MAINE PRODUCTS

All records for distribution of the newly-published Maine Cook Book were broken last week, Maine Development Commission officials said in revealing that over 1600 copies of the new booklet designed to stimulate interest in Maine food-stuffs had been mailed to housewives in the big metropolitan areas in answer to requests received during the six day period.

The new cook book, which was compiled by the Maine Development Commission, is being distributed in conjunction with the recently inaugurated advertising and publicity campaign made possible by an appropriation of \$25,000. It contains forty pages of recipes and other vital information on the use and preparation of Maine grown foods, notably potatoes, apples, corn, peas, beans, and dairy, poultry, and seafood products.

The majority of requests being received, it was said, were from the listeners of the Martha Deane food program emanating from WOR in New York. Maine advertising is being carried on this program for a period of 16 weeks going on the air every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday from 1:45 P. M. to 2 P. M.

Reviewing letters accompanying requests for the cook book, Commission officials expressed themselves as "agreeably surprised" at the vast amount of interest that is being manifested in Maine foods. Many writers, it was said, had tried Maine products for the first time and said that they would "continue to demand them."

An agreeable phase of the campaign not entirely foreseen is that it will stimulate the recreational business as well as agriculture, many writers saying that they would visit Maine for the first time next year, it was revealed.

The following excerpts from letters received were cited as showing the amount of interest being aroused in Maine and Maine foods:

"I have begun to use Maine potatoes and think they bake wonderfully."

"Please send me the cook book. I have tried Maine products and like them better than any other."

"I am a housekeeper and have gotten many helpful suggestions from your cook book. I have spent many summers in Maine and know just how good Maine foods are. Please send me another book for a friend whom I want to convert to Maine products."

"I have tried Maine canned corn beans, and peas, and think that they are the best ever. I would like to have one of your cook books so that I can prepare them the way Maine cooks do."

"We now use Maine potatoes in preference to our own New Jersey potatoes, or the much praised Idaho's."

"All my relatives on my mother's side are dyed-in-the-wool Mainers. When I visited there I had the best steamed clam luncheon I ever had. I am glad to know that I can buy Maine clams, clam chowder and other seafood in cans."

"Maine is the only New England State I have not visited so I want to learn about it also try the recipes."

"I have quite a few Maine products and they cannot be beat—and then some."

"Please send me the booklet on Maine cooking. I am most interested to try the different products."

"Maine potatoes have come to me."

In a drive on lottery tickets by United States Customs officials over 1000 letters were seized at Bangor Tuesday. The tickets in the letters, it was stated, would have taken over \$20,000 from Bangor and vicinity.

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1 can Maine sweet corn

4 eggs

1½ teaspoons butter

2 cups milk

1 cup dry bread or

crumbs

1 cup grated cheese

1 teaspoon salt

½-teaspoon paprika

Drain the corn, melt the butter

in a dish half full, add half

cup dry bread or

crumbs; fill the dish to within

inch of the top, cover with

cheese and paprika and

bake in moderate oven until firm, 30 or 40 minutes.

WILLIAM TELL SALAD

1 doz. apples

Juice of 1 lemon

1 can sliced pineapple

1 lb. white grapes

1 dozen marshmallows

1 cup English walnuts

Dice the apples (and add

lemon juice to keep them

turning dark if you are using

apples other than Cortlands).

Cut the pineapple in small pieces, reserving the juice; cut the grapes, cut the marshmallows

small pieces, and mix the

nutmegs and marshmallows.

Serve with this dressing:

Juice from the can of pineap-

ple

3 eggs

1 cup granulated sugar

2 tablespoons flour

2 tablespoons butter

¼ pint whipping cream

Boil the pineapple juice, beat

the eggs lightly and add the

sugar which have previously

mixed. Pour the boiling juice

this mixture, stirring constan-

tly, then place on the stove and

boil thoroughly, adding the

cream when cold add the fruit

Just before serving stir in

whipped cream.

The cooperation of our

readers is necessary if this de-

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to exchange the best recip-

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contributors are invited.

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THE RUMFORD CITIZEN, 1906

4c a Copy \$2.00 a Year

American Home Design "Goes Modern"

Buying Spurt Seen in Winter Markets

WILLIAM C. UTLEY

The American home is going "modern." It is right now on the verge of a wave of buying that is to reveal a beauty in household articles new functional philosophy of in furnishings from living room to kitchen, from basement to

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the nightmare of weirdly and geometrically uncomfortable furniture that is so difficult to look at, even more difficult to sit on, in penthouses with the paper profits of years, has emerged a new furniture that belongs definitely to the era of recovery. It is in the trade as "modern."

I estimate that 80 per cent new furniture shown to the trade this year will be "modern" makes use of the simple lines and departure from ornamentation that characterizes the "modernistic" pieces years back. It stimulates but not to the point where you with an artistic hand can do a jig-saw puzzle waiting put together. It is both comfortable and practical.

In opinion of E. J. Wormley, the most noted of contemporary designers, the simplicity of furniture makes its manufacturing to the middle and trade possible, and there-

fore will have a profound effect upon the average home.

"People who bought furniture in these price classes used to buy a suite of walnut or oak or mahogany, simply because it looked pretty," said Mr. Wormley. "Consequently their homes were conglomerations of many styles without rhyme or reason. Now these same people can obtain definitely styled furniture. I venture to say that 50 per cent of the furniture bought this year will be definitely styled for some particular application."

It's Year for Blondes.

America prefers blonds this year—at least in furniture woods, according to Mr. Wormley. Most prominent in the markets are

ware. Modern mirrors, like modern music, are "going 'round and 'round." Everywhere are round, unframed mirrors, much larger than before.

With repeal of prohibition has come a new article of furniture, the cellarette. This is a sort of traveling bar, containing glasses of various kinds, shakers, ice-bowls and bartenders' tools. The cellarettes fold up into other pieces of furniture, such as radios, desks and bookcases, when not in use. Perhaps the most unusual—not to say incongruous—combination was a sewing machine which could be turned into a fully equipped cellarette at a moment's notice.

Asked where in the house a cellarette could be placed to the great-

of money on sales promotion when there was little chance for large volume sales, directed their efforts to the field of research, and now that the tide has turned, or shows signs of turning, are releasing many new perfections of household utensils.

Two facts may be said to be true about these: They have fallen into the present-day fashion of streamlining to the "nth" degree; and they are characterized by the ultimate in functionalism in design. While the modern streamlining gives them a new unusual beauty, the insistence on functionalism assures that this beauty of design will help to increase the efficiency of a utensil, rather than detract from it.

An example of both the new char-

spouts, and all sorts of new gadgets for table use. One of the most practical is a device which keeps dishes warm, without overheating them, until they are ready to be served; one variation of this idea will also keep cold dishes cold in hot weather. There are toasters now which ring bells, light signal lights and in other ways warn you that the toast is ready; they do everything but scrape the top.

To use in cooking right on the range are some more articulate affairs. There is a tea kettle which sings when the water boils. And an egg cooker (they say eggs should be cooked, not boiled—boiling makes them tough) with a baby chick sitting on top of it; the chick peeps when the eggs are ready.

Manufacturers of cooking ranges have discovered that when all the burners are located in a square on one side of the range the housewife has to reach over a front burner to attend to anything on a rear burner. So the 1936 range will have two burners on each side, with a table top in between, or four burners at the back of the range, with the table top in front.

Streamlining has reached even electric irons. And this year they will have several graduations of heat, as before, but instead of being marked Hot, Medium and Warm, these graduations will be plainly marked with the kind of materials for which they are used: Linens, Woolens, Silks, etc.

Streamlining is by no means the only feature the 1936 vacuum cleaner has borrowed from the automobile. It has headlights, gear shift and even floating power, with the mechanism cradled in vibrationless mountings. And talk about pickup! It's in the bag.

Some More Trick Gadgets.

There are other innovations, too numerous to catalogue here, awaiting the 1936 homemaker. Among them are card tables that won't tip if a 200 pounder stands right on the edge of them; washing machines with wringers through which it is safe to run a 21 jewel watch (not MY watch, thank you); an electric percolator with a dial device for weak, medium or strong coffee; a heat regulator frying pan guaranteed not to burn or scorch food, and a cooker in which you can cook onions, chocolate pudding, cauliflower, chicken and last night's potatoes, all at once, without having any of the tastes or odors mixed. Or, you can simply cook hash.

The lamp market presented so many individual styles produced by different manufacturers that it is difficult to pick any definite trends from them. Here are a couple of random tips, though: Shades of rough, coarse-woven fabrics will be good, as will parchment shades with designs punched in them.

The situation in the chinaware market was, to the lay eye, much the same. Looking at some new Japanese dishes decorated with a brilliant plaid design exactly like some of the new tablecloths, one couldn't help speculating upon the embarrassment of some day discovering his elbows to be right on his plate, instead of just on the table cloth, though.

And to conclude on a happy note: For the bathtub vocalist—recognition at last! The new shower curtains have the music printed right on them.

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Innovations in furniture and housewares await an expected buying wave without precedent since the boom years. Some of the features of the annual winter wholesale markets at the Merchandise Mart in Chicago: Candlesticks fashioned after the old chimney lamp; mirror designs that go 'round and 'round; streamlined irons with heat graduations marked for the kind of cloth to be ironed, and wringers through which you can run even a wash with perfect safety.

bleached mahogany, nutwood, acacia, aspen, English hawood, and other light woods. Upholstery and leather coverings are seen in pastel shades. Wool and rough, fur-like fabrics are much in evidence, one of the most popular coverings being of a material that looks and feels like caracul.

Always the new furniture looks first to comfort and practicability. The sharp corners of "modern" furniture are gone now, and more pleasing rounded ones have taken their place. For homes where space is important, the come-apart sofa which breaks down into three comfortable chairs is being seen more and more. This idea has carried over into dining room furniture, too, and this year there are wall benches offered which break down into dining room chairs.

"Modern" in Bedroom.

More than anywhere else the "modern" note is evident in bedroom furniture, which is now extremely simple in design. There are striking applications of English hardwood, prima vera and myrtle wood. But perhaps the most notable trend is that of bedroom glass-

est advantage, one exhibitor replied that he had his in his "rumpus" room—and never batted an eye. To the parlor, bedroom and bath trade this was something of a jolt, but the dictionary revealed that "rumpus" meant "disturbance; wrangle; row." If you must have these things it is probably a good idea to have a separate room for them, and maybe a cellarette would help.

Floor coverings this year have relinquished the large, gay patterns, and have shown up in more small patterns and plain colors.

Linen Rugs Are New.

Among the new departures were rugs and carpets of linen and linencotton, which are practically waterproof and moistureproof. Also there are reversible floor coverings, containing a distinct and different pattern on each side, which can change the character of a room if the rug is turned over. Texture weave rugs that look very rough, some of them like homespun, but are not really that way, were shown.

Manufacturers of housewares, it is said at the market, have laid low during the depression years and, rather than spend a great deal

acteristics was a chrome pitcher shaped like the funnel of the Normandie. Asked just why a pitcher, of all things, SHOULD be shaped like the funnel of the Normandie, the manufacturer's representative explained, "Why, so it will pour better." If you can follow that (this writer couldn't) you will be interested to know that he also said, "it can pour through the eye of a needle." That is, of course, if you should ever want to pour anything through the eye of a needle.

The pitcher was one piece in a matched set of utensils. That is one of the big things about utensils now. They come in matched sets. And in the most vivid pastel shades; you can fry herring (DO you fry herring?) in a frying pan of shell pink or Alice blue.

Cooking at the Table.

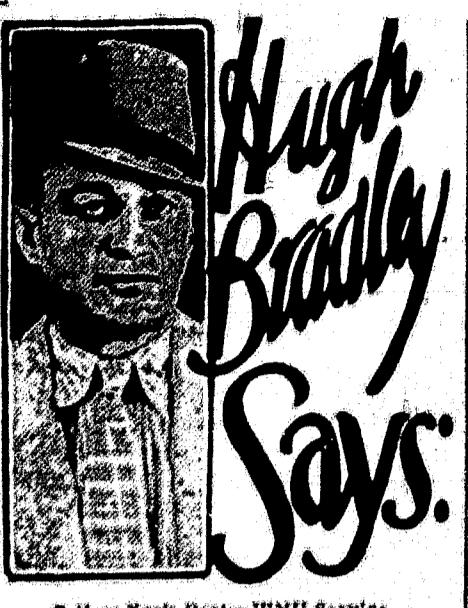
For years the electrical appliance manufacturers and the public utilities have been trying to "educate" the public into cooking right at the table, and this trend is more plainly to be seen this year than ever. There are chrome-plated ovens that plug into any outlet, electric tea kettles with trigger

clock. Application blanks for adjusted compensation will be made out free of charge.

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Violets in 1929 Were 2nd Fiddle to Schoolboys

THINGS you ought to know about the game called basketball:

The New York university-Baltimore university contest of 1929, which took place at Arcadia hall, Baltimore, was played preliminary to a high school tussle.

Carleton college went through a winning streak of 64 consecutive home games, losing to Cornell, of Iowa, in 1935, by a score of 33 to 28.

City college has used the same scorer and timekeeper for the last 13 years.

In basketball play among the private schools of Massachusetts in 1910, each foul committed counted as a point toward the opponent's score, besides giving the foul shooter an opportunity of shooting for a one pointer from the free throw line. Five fouls disqualified a player.

At the Olympic games of 1920, which were held at Antwerp, two teams of the Scandinavian countries participated in a game that had 12 players on each side, composed equally of men and women.

Notre Dame participated in 48 scheduled contests during the season 1908-09.

So strong and hardy were the six Michigan university passers of 1929 they went through the entire season with no other aid, earning the title of "Iron men."

Walter "Whitney" Budrunas, Marquette university center, scored nine points in 51 seconds against Grinnell college, of Iowa . . . 1931.

The Friends school of Philadelphia, and Temple university, engaged in a 3 to 1 contest, each team using seven players on a side . . . 1899.

In the Yale-Lafayette contest of 1900-01, not a penalty was meted out until 30 minutes of play had elapsed.

Basketball on Skates Was Garden Novelty

A basketball tournament on skates was held at Madison Square Garden during the months of July and August, 1906. The referees were not permitted to call any fouls.

The Victoria Dominos, Canadian independent champions, and the Seattle Knights of Columbus, engaged in four extra overtime periods without breaking the tie score. The players became exhausted and quit for the evening . . . 1906.

Because of a scoring dispute in the final elementary school class championship game of 1912, between public schools 62 and 64, Manhattan, the teams engaged in an additional contest which lasted exactly 22 seconds. The first quintet to score was awarded the city crown.

The Eastern Intercollegiate Basketball League was the first organization to employ seven persons as officials to supervise the activities of its players. There were two

scorers, two time-keepers, two umpires and a referee.

Brooklyn college trailed Manhattan college, 1-14, at the end of the first period, yet romped off with the contest by a majority of seven points . . . 1929.

THINGS the box office forgot to mention:

The matrimonial clockers are whispering that Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt did not establish a residence in California merely because he wished to be close to Discovery, his entry in the \$100,000 Santa Anita handicap. Instead, their information is that the youthful heir soon will gallop to the altar with the daughter of a western railroad magnate and . . . But since this is really not a tipping bureau the Huntington clan can print its own announcements.

Even if the New York state athletic commissioners should become so daring as to meddle with the plans of the William Randolph Hearst A. C., it is unlikely that they could oblige their Cuban fellows by punishing anybody for that recent Havana fiasco. That is because the blighted Gatanaga-Louie venture was promoted by Mike Jacobs, who holds no boxing license of any kind in New York. When Mike and the W. R. H. A. C. promote in this state business is done through the Twentieth Century Sporting Club, Inc., of which William C. Carey is president and Tom McAdoo matchmaker.

NOWADAYS you hear overmuch about a mysterious thing called form. Having become more than somewhat bulky in those spots where it can do the most harm to a golf stroke, I have ceased bothering about the thing myself, but it seems to have perturbed numerous readers. Scarcely a day passes without letters from some of them inquiring where they can learn to become diving girls (or boys, as the case may be) in six easy lessons.

Frankly, I have been unable to answer, because after interviewing numerous leading exponents of form I still do not know what the darned thing is. All that I can make out of the answers is that it is—doing things gracefully, according to the accepted pattern, looking pretty as a picture.

Naturally such an answer would be disheartening to the average man or woman. All of us do not have the bodies of Greek gods or the superb poise of a Lynn Fontanne.

There also was Harry Greb. Few fighters ever have performed in as unorthodox fashion as did this lad who won the middleweight championship of the world, was seldom out of the big money class and more often than not was called upon to

defeat opponents who outweighed him from 10 to 50 pounds.

He never was a puncher, able to end a fight with one devastating blow, as was another ring marvel and ring freak named Bob Fitzsimmons. Largely Greb won because his only claim to fame was that he lacked all form. He swarmed all over opponents who, trained in accepted modes, were bewildered because he did not fight their way. I saw him one night—probably it was the time when he beat Gene Tunney—slapping, wrestling, hauling, doing everything wrong.

Time after time he started punches with his left, shifted in mid-air and landed with his right instead. To lead with your right is to disregard one of the strictest canons of the ring. When you do that you lay yourself open to a knockout, and I am not advising any one to try it. Yet, Greb did it that night, as upon many other occasions, and—he got away with it. Later I talked with him in his dressing room and made the usual bromide statement about his doing everything wrong.

"Yeah," he said. "But I won, didn't I?"

It was not a question; it was a statement. If it had been a question, I could not have answered it.

Neither could I answer it now. I agree with those readers who write in to discover where to find it that form must be very nice, but—

Somehow I cannot forget all those lads who did it wrong and went home with the title just the same.

MORE things the box score never told:

Brooklyn fans continue to protest vehemently because of rumors that the National league president is insisting upon thrusting Cleveland's discarded business manager into their affairs. They argue, and for once it might be advisable for the Brooklyn owners to take note of the customers' objections, that the American league should take care of its own problems.

Greb Did Everything Wrong, But Won Fights

Then there was another powerful fellow who played golf. He lurched at the ball, he was off balance, he did a few other things wrong (or so the stylists said) each time he went around a course. His name was Ted Ray. He won the British open championship in 1912 and the American open eight years later, a feat that few of the pretty-as-a-picture golfers ever accomplished.

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Inventor of Linotype

Ottmar Mergenthaler (1854-1909), inventor of the Linotype, was born in Germany where he learned the watchmaker's trade. He came to America in 1872 and was employed in inspecting and repairing clocks in the government buildings at Washington. After 1876 he made his home in Baltimore, where he perfected his Linotype, first patented in 1885.

Age of Rattlesnakes

Biologists do not believe in the notion about snakes. They say rattler's years are not the same as the number of rings to be accumulated on his shaker. Not only one ring is added every year, skin is shed, and this is three times a year. But these snakes are alike in size. Some shed twice a year and as many as four times. At this rate, the biologists don't believe nature gave the rattlesnake rattle as a warning device. They believe it is a call of use to the species particularly in the breeding season. Anyway, it is an effective weapon and saves the rattlers a bother.

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CAUGHT IN THE WILD

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CHAPTER IX—Continued

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Instead of turning back at the girl's cry of appeal, Garth quickened his stride to a run. A severe blizzard would thicken the skim ice and close the water lane out from the stream mouth. That would mean a wait until the stream ran dry with the freeze-up of the glacier.

Above the site of his old camp garth halted and signed for his companion to listen. Down through the snowy stillness came a clear ring of metal on metal.

"They're drilling below the frost-line to blast a shaft," he said. "Richer gravel on bedrock, at the foot of the placer trough."

Dillon forged into the lead. "You'll trail me now, sir."

Without any protest, Garth fell in behind. The Law was now in command. A few strides brought them to the dyke of igneous rock that walled the lower end of the placer trough. From behind a stunted spruce, they peered across the treeless width of rock to where a large fire was flaming at the edge of the matted timberline scrub.

Over the fire hung three big iron kettles. Beside it stood a small trivet for rocking gravel. But there

was no one working the rocker, nor

was there anyone in sight. Even

the ring of sledge-on drill in the

newly dug pit, just beyond the fire, had ceased.

"Not so good," Garth murmured. "I'm not so sure it's a surprise."

"You'll stay here, sir."

"No."

Constable Dillon spoke with cool logic: "If it's a surprise, I need no assistance. If he is warned and prepared to resist, better for you to support me from cover."

"Well—perhaps."

"The only way, sir. You stood responsible for bringing the young lady."

"Very well, Dillon," he agreed. "Wait till I take position."

He shifted to the left side of the stunted spruce and crouched down where he could peer between the lower branches. At the other side, the constable stood up and stepped out into the open. Hardly was he clear of cover when harsh shout came from the scrub beside the fire:

"Halt! Throw up your hands." Constable Dillon paused. But he did not put up his hands. The Northwest police do not surrender. Dillon merely swung the barrel of his carbine backward under his arm, and made quiet reply:

"I have here a warrant for the arrest of Vivian Huxley for theft and assault to murder. Any persons who interfere with his arrest will make themselves liable."

"Bah, you cock-capped red Jay, you can't bluff me," Huxley glibed. "You're covered. Move, and you get a bullet through you. Drop that gun and shove up your hands."

A sideward jumping down-thrown would have put the constable back in cover. But he was a member of the Northwest Mounted Police. His retreat could no more be considered by him than surrender. Also, he had no authority to shoot his man. The warrant called only for the arrest of the accused. He had to do his duty at whatever risk.

"You will be well advised not to resist," he said.

With that, he raised his right snowshoe and slid it up a low cross-drift in a forward step. As he bent forward to bring up the other web, a rifle roared in the dense shrub.

Garth fired into the faint haze of smokeless powder. Back came a bullet that clipped a branch at his left elbow. He shifted sideways towards the tree trunk, and rose to peer through a higher opening. A slight movement of a spruce

spray in the scrub brought his rifle to his shoulder.

Another twitch of that spruce twig. His finger tightened on the trigger—Crash! He hurled down on his right side. The first thought that flashed into his mind was that his rifle had burst. His right arm had gone numb as if broken by the shock.

Luckily, he did not at once try to spring up. As he paused to feel at the numb arm with his left hand, the bark flew from a limb close over his head. The scar of white wood showed that the bullet had been fired from off to his left.

He flattened down and crawled into the snowless hollow alongside the tree trunk. In the hollow lay his rifle. It had not burst. But that was no consolation. The first shot from off to the left had struck square against the side of the breech and smashed the magazine.

One look at the weapon showed that it was ruined. He wormed past it to the far side of the tree trunk. During all the many seconds that had passed since the firing of the first shot, he had heard no call nor any sound whatever from Constable Dillon. He peered out under the low drooped spruce boughs on that side of the tree.

As he expected, the worst had happened. The policeman lay on his back. He had been shot through the heart. One glance told Garth the fact that his companion was beyond all aid.

He looked for the constable's carbine. It was nowhere in sight. The low drift behind which Dillon had fallen gave Garth enough cover to crawl out beside the body. But the carbine was not under its owner.

Garth pulled the snowshoes from the feet of the dead man. On the heel of one web he perched the constable's cap. He reached out sideways and lifted the cap so that it peered above the top of the drift. The cap slipped back off the snowshoes pierced through by a bullet from the scrub behind the fire.

At the roar of the shot, Garth bobbed up three feet to the left to look for the missing carbine. It lay half buried in the snow, a long ten feet away. When shot, Dillon must have flung out his hands as he pitched over backwards.

Huxley had proved he could shoot a rifle with deadly accuracy, and his men were nearly as expert. To make a dash for the carbine would be equivalent to committing suicide. To lie quiet would give the killers time to realize there was no rifle waiting to meet their attack. The fourth man might already be creeping to creep in from the rear.

With his knife Garth slashed out the webs of Dillon's snowshoes. Then, worming his way backwards, he started to drag the body down slope. The tree put him under cover from the two killers near the fire. A drift enabled him to crawl to another tree without being seen by the man off to the left.

A sideward shift brought him to the shallow channel of the frozen spring rill. He swung the body of the constable across his shoulders, stepped into his snowshoes, and ran astern down-slope.

Every few seconds that passed without the roar of a rifle behind him, meant a widened margin of safety.

Whatever the cause of their delay, he had gained a long start before more yell told him they had overtaken his trail. At the outermost, Garth eased off a little on his desperate speed.

His fast mushing had already covered three-fourths of the distance to the stream. It was now a simple matter of running on to increase his handicap over the killers. Truly a little time would be needed to cast free the cabin plane.

As she drifted out in the current,

the cross-wind would swing her around. Then a quick run out the water lane, and the take-off."

Close ahead, he caught sight of Lilith Ramill. She was sitting on her snowshoes. Her right foot was drawn up on her left knee, and she was rubbing hard at the ankle.

At sight of the limp body on Garth's shoulders, she started up, horrified, "Oh, oh, Alan! Is—is he hurt?"

"Murdered. And you—G—d!—you here, all this way from the plane. They're coming. Get up—go back."

"Coming!" she cried. "That murderer! He'll kill you, too! Go on, Alan. Hurry. I'll follow."

She turned around on her right foot without a wince or groan and bent to slip her moccasins under the toe thongs of the snowshoes. Delived into thinking her sprain not serious, Garth slued around her and ran on at his best gait. He would get the body of Constable Dillon aboard the plane and rush back for the girl. If she followed that the fellow was shouting about the outdrift of the cabin plane.

Before long, other yells came from the lake shore. They were followed by rifle shots. It was easy to guess that one or more of the pursuers had sighted the plane and opened fire, on the supposition that Garth was hiding in the cockpit.

Garth moderated his rush. Even so, his steady uphill slogging brought him near timberline before the four men got together down at the lake shore.

He made the plane in short order and got the dead policeman to the cabin by way of the wing. Leaping off, he rushed back at top speed to meet Lilith. He had to go all the way to where he had left her.

She had slung the snowshoes on her back, floundered through the first drift, and collapsed. When he came up, she was rubbing snow on her bare ankles. She looked up at him, white-faced with pain and despair.

"I tried, Alan. I can't even walk," she said. "Go back. It's all my fault. Hurry and save yourself. Maybe I can—delay him."

For reply, Garth swung her up across his shoulders and headed again for the plane. There still might be time. He put all his strength into another burst of speed.

They came to the glacier stream, with no sight or sound of the pursuers behind them. Garth lifted the girl from his shoulder and set her on the front edge of the monoplane wing. He grasped hold to vault up beside her.

A bullet fanned the girl's pain-whitened cheek. Another bullet struck the wing edge between Garth and Lilith. He jerked her down off the wing. The firing ceased.

After murdering Constable Dillon but before starting to trawl Garth,

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His one backward glance showed him that the plane was drifting out into the lake. But, the cross-wind had died down. The lessened stream current could be counted upon to carry the plane out beyond reach before it was stopped by the skin ice.

In the cave he found Lilith bundled and hovering over the lamp, as she broiled thawed caribou steaks on a shank-bone spit.

He picked the girl up in her skin wrappings, and carried her out and around to the Igloo, then went back for the rest of the skins, the lamp and some of the meat.

While she went on with her cooking, over the re-lighted lamp, he cut more blocks and built a low

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PAGE OF READING FOR THE FAMILY

The Saar.

Industrial Panorama in the Saar.

Prepared by National Geographic Society,
Washington, D. C.—WNU Service.

THOUGH barely 788 square miles in area and with fewer than 825,000 people, the Saar has been one of Europe's most industrialized regions since the World war.

Powder keg of Europe; witches' cauldron; political sore spot. For years such graphic labels have been tacked onto this small but highly industrialized region lying north of Alsace-Lorraine between France and Germany.

From the days of Attila and the Caesars down to Foch and Von Hindenburg, its valleys and wooded hills have rocked and echoed to the tramp and shouts of marching armies.

Geographically, the Saar is an irregular patch of hilly land crossed by small valleys. It lies alongside Luxembourg, forms a buffer state between France and Germany, and was cut from the two German states of Prussia and Bavaria.

With a population about equal to that of Boston proper, it shelters more than 1,000 people per square mile—one of the most densely settled areas in all Europe.

Only such miniature European states as Andorra, Liechtenstein, San Marino and Monaco are smaller than this tiny, yet dynamic country. America knows no state so dwarfish. Delaware is about three times the Saar's size, yet has less than a third its population.

Saarbrücken, metropolis of the Saar, has only 132,400 people; yet in one year Saar trains haul 60,000,000 passengers!

Sit in any stuffy cafe at Saarbrücken, watch the guests eat red cabbage and boiled pork, or sip fat steins of beer as the band plays heavy Wagner music, and the place seems just another German industrial center.

But look into its eventful annals, or make a careful trip about its historic roads and ruins, and you find a land with a past peculiar to itself.

Saar Problem in Caesar's Time.

There was, in fact, a Saar problem even in Roman times, when blond men from the east of the Rhine already had invaded this basin. In Caesar's "Commentaries" you read of these early German settlers. One Roman report of the time says that 120,000 barbarians scoured Gaul, had settled here.

Gauls feared these Germans might menace Rome itself; so he helped the Gauls drive them back across the Rhine. His battles on the Aisne and elsewhere were precursors of centuries of fighting along the Rhine.

Some Roman military roads here about are shown on the Peutinger

map of about 200 A. D. One ran north from Argentoratum (now Strasbourg) to the Saar basin. About this same time the Romans built a castle at a point on the Saar river where it was bridged by their military road from Paris to Mainz. Saarbrücken was so named, meaning "Saar Bridge."

Dense forests choked all the basin then, forests frequented by heathen druids, by wild Celtic tribes who hunted deer and boars with spears. Scattered ruins of megaliths, dolmens and Cromlechs, symbols of the druid cult, have been found in the Saar forests.

Slowly, through centuries of paganism, tribal wars, and feudalism, the Saar was settled, civilized, and its wooded areas dotted with castles, villages, and towns.

Many old castles, as at Saarbrücken and Ottweiler, were seized by invading French in 1793, and some of their occupants perished on the guillotine. Yet in German-speaking Saarbrücken today, with its street cars, new city hall, baths, paved streets, playgrounds, "talkies," airports, museums and brightly lit stores with glass fronts, newspapers, and crowded schools, there is little to remind one of the Roman stronghold of long ago.

Roman ruins are there—if you dig—ruins of villas, of baths and bridges, some almost in the shadow of early Christian churches. At Tholey is a church that dates from the Thirteenth century. In sharp contrast, near Saarbrücken is a mosque built by the French during the World war, wherein their Moroccan soldiers might pray!

Long Held by Germans.

Strategically, the Saar lies on a natural route between France and Germany, and for centuries they have disputed as to where their boundary lines should be fixed. Soon after the break up of Charlemagne's empire, and the Treaty of Verdun, in 843, the Saar became German soil.

Briefly, for more than a thousand years prior to the Versailles treaty, Germany held the Saar, except for two short periods, the second being the years from 1871 to 1815, when Napoleon pushed the French frontier to the Rhine.

When Blücher and his Prussians advanced into France in 1813, he followed the very route taken by the German border when the Roman empire fell.

It was so in the Franco-Prussian war; Von Moltke, in 1870, followed Blücher's route of 1813, and about Saarbrücken came one of the first clashes of that war which helped Bismarck to found his German empire. Again, of course, in the World

war, the armies passed this way, and many an allied soldier washed his shirt in the Saar, the Moselle and the Rhine, or traded cigarettes and white bread to willing maidens for a jug of wine.

Fly over Saarlouis, where Marshal Ney was born, and in its very heart you see the outline of the old fort built by Louis XIV of France.

Dating, as a town, from 1680, its people lived for more than 200 years almost wholly by trading with the garrisons—first French, then German, then French again.

Today old walls and moats that encircled the fort have been torn down and filled to make broad, smooth streets, as the Americans did with parts of Manila.

German infantry, artillery, cavalry, army wagons—all the money-spending machinery of war—made Saarlouis a busy town until after the World war. When they evacuated, the French came in for a while; but now few occupants are found for all the vast barracks. It is quiet, almost too quiet, for those residents who remember the band concerts, the glittering reviews, and fat army pay rolls of other days.

French Are Scarce There.

German in race, speech, culture, and traditions, the Saar showed by a pre-war census only about one person in 200 with French as his native tongue. It was simply a legal accident at Versailles which made these people citizens, temporarily, of a phantom state. The Saar, under that treaty, gained no nationality, no president or other ruler of its own. Instead, a commission of five Europeans was named by the League of Nations to administer the territory's affairs until the plebiscite.

By treaty the Saar went under a customs union with France; French customs guards were set to patrol the line between Germany and the Saar and French money was put into use. To pay France for her own coal mines damaged by Germans in the World war, she was given the coal mines in the Saar. The treaty provided also that after the plebiscite Germany might buy these mines back again if she

paid the Saar a sum equivalent to the value of the mines.

As one tramps about in the wet snow, one's feet are numb and cold. But what a magic change! A two-minute dizzy ride down in a mine and one walks among hot, sweaty men working nearly naked.

BEDTIME STORY**BY THORNTON W. BURGESS****SAMMY JAY WORRIES**

IT ISN'T often Sammy Jay worries about anybody but himself. Truth to tell, he doesn't worry about himself very often. You see, Sammy is smart and he knows he is smart. Under that pointed cap of his are some of the cleverest wits in all the Green Forest. Sammy seldom worries about himself because he feels quite able to take care of himself.

But Sammy Jay was worrying now. He was worrying about Lightfoot the Deer. For two days he had been unable to find Lightfoot or any trace of Lightfoot. But he did find plenty of hunters with terrible guns. It seemed to him that they were everywhere in the Green Forest. Sammy began to suspect that one of them had succeeded in killing Lightfoot the Deer.

Sammy knew all of Lightfoot's hiding places. He visited every one of them. Lightfoot wasn't to be found, and no one whom Sammy met had seen Lightfoot for two days.

Sammy felt badly. You see, he was very fond of Lightfoot. You remember it was Sammy who warned Lightfoot of the coming of the hunter on the morning when the dreadful hunting season began.

Ever since the hunting season had

wished, and such an agreement was concluded late in 1934.

Only around Saarlouis is any French influence noticeable, and that is not due to the presence there of many living Frenchmen. Such influence belongs to the past—Vauban's old forts built when Louis XIV made this a French garrison town; French names and epitaphs in the cemetery; and an odd local dialect current among older residents, a curious blend of German and French.

To see how thoroughly German the region is, in speech and sentiment, you have only to mingle with any holiday crowd and listen to the songs, the speeches, and the music; or read the papers; or see what crowds follow broadcasts from the radio stations at Frankfurt and Stuttgart.

Industry Is Intensive.

As in the Ruhr, industry here is compact, intensive, and theatrical in its setting.

Like volcanoes, its giant mills, as at Volklingen (250,000), belch forth clouds of thick gray smoke; the red glare of blast furnaces turns black night into brilliant Gehenna.

Under every hill is coal. Over every mine is a big wheel on a tower; again and again you see the big wheel spin, as it winds up a cable that lifts its load from deep in the earth.

This is the only place on earth where you see mines and steel mills closely crowded by forests, as if bits of industrial Pittsburgh were set in one of our forest reserves.

The wooded slopes of the winding Saar river all covered with snow much resemble Algonquin park in Ontario, in winter; it seems the woods must be as dense and mysterious as when druids built their sacrificial altars there and hungry pagan Celts searched for wild meat.

But about many mines, with their bustling, grimy towns of straight, new streets, lined monotonously with discolored brick or stone houses, coal dust settles so thick on meadows and trees, even on the streams, as to give them a blackish look.

As one tramps about in the wet snow, one's feet are numb and cold. But what a magic change! A two-minute dizzy ride down in a mine and one walks among hot, sweaty men working nearly naked.

OBEYING ORDERS

Aunt Sarah—I'm afraid you're getting too familiar with Mr. You know I told you he should be held at arm's length.

Miss Flipp—Yes, I held him at arm's length, all right, and the length of my arms was just enough to reach around his neck.

CIVILIZATION IS BASED ON IRON, WRITER AND

We do not know the exact date of the Iron age, but it probably occurred when some Bronze age lads happened to build a big wheel against an exposed bank of the colored earth we now call iron. After the flames had died

writes Dr. Thomas M. Beck in Chicago Tribune, we may suppose that this neolithic Edison around in the cold ashes and a few pellets of iron and shrewd enough to deduce the connection between these and the and the fire.

During the 5,000 years or less that have followed this early iron has become the backbone of our material civilization. The reason is not difficult to find, not the most resistant, nor the lightest, nor the hardest, nor the most readily worked, nor the easiest to refine, nor the most useful; its value lies in the fact it possesses to a moderate extent all of these desirable qualities. Moreover, iron and its alloys capable of being modified in various ways as to show an amazing range of metallic properties. For example, it may be prepared such an active form that it will burn in flame on contact with air. It may be made resistant to heat to withstand the action of acids.

Iron is found in nature in several different forms, the most common of which is hematite, a mixture of iron oxide with impurities. The ore occurs in extensive deposits in various parts of the world, the most economically important ones being around Superior, in Lorraine, and in eastern England. The world's available supply of ore is so enormous that some of the richest deposits happen to be a little far away from coal mines or buyers, are not exploited.

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couldn't save him from the

hounds.

The more Sammy thought

over, the more he worried.

I afraid those hounds drove

where a hunter could get a shot

kill him or else that they tired

out and killed him then,

thought Sammy.

"If he gave

Banned out

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STAR DUST MOVIE AND RADIO

By VIRGINIA VALE

HERE is an even more authoritative report on the standing of the movie stars at the box office than was submitted to you in this column last week. It comes from the independent exhibitors, through the courtesy of the Motion Picture Herald, a weekly publication devoted to the news of the industry. Here it is.

(1) Shirley Temple. (2) Will Rogers. (3) Clark Gable. (4) Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers. (5) Joan Crawford. (6) Claudette Colbert. (7) Dick Powell. (8) Wallace Beery. (9) Joe E. Brown. (10) James Cagney. Even more interesting (to me, at least), is the standing of some of the other players. Shirley Temple is rated at 87 per cent; against that rating Jean Harlow gets 164, Norma Shearer, 139, Katherine Hepburn 111. William Powell is rated at 205, and Myrna Loy at 76. Startling, isn't it? But how about Greta Garbo, at 41 per cent? And Carol Lombard at 2?

Of course, these ratings were based on the number of times an actor or actress was mentioned in the questionnaires filled out by the exhibitors. And some of the players did not make many pictures in 1935. Even so, I find myself going around in a daze, muttering "Ronald Colman, 15 per cent;

I FEEL FINE

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Doctors use liquid laxatives. Hospitals use the liquid form. If it is best for their use, it is best for home use.

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Miriam Hopkins, 8 per cent. And Patsy Kelly got only 1 per cent, and she's being starred now."

Have the mighty fallen!



No sooner is one dispute between James Cagney and his employers settled than another one bobs up; it looks very much as if the two-fisted James wanted to end that affiliation. They've squabbled over salary, over his right to have the final say on his pictures, and the most recent argument (to date) is over how Jim Cagney many more pictures he's to make on his contract, which has two years to run. He says six, the company says eight. He does some of his best work in the latest release, "Ceiling Zero," a real thriller. It probably will coin money, which puts him in a good spot to make trouble.

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Well, American men can rest on their laurels now: Wendy Barrie has come out with the statement (or her press agents have come out with it for her), to the effect that she's always liked American men better than she liked the British, "because they're more romantic." But she came to this country, according to all reports, with the avowed intention of marrying one of our young millionaires who are frequently mentioned in the public prints, only to discover that he wasn't matrimonially interested. Well, perhaps that's romance!

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Jane Withers certainly owes Shirley Temple a debt of gratitude. Due to Shirley's zooming into stardom, everybody wants pictures starring a child, and Jane came along just in time. She has a new, long-term contract with Twentieth Century-Fox, and her next picture will be "The Matron's Report."

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Once again Douglas Fairbanks, Sr., has Hollywood all aflutter. At the moment it looks as if the romance between him and Lady Ashley is a thing of the past, which, of course, revives rumors that he and Mary Pickford will re-marry, and brings up assertions from some of those who work with Mary, to the effect that she will marry Buddy Rogers. Fairbanks has sent word to have a studio dusted off, and says he is all set to begin work on "Marie Polo." It will be a costume picture, of course, and not so long ago producers wouldn't touch a costume picture with a ten-foot pole. Now you fall over them wherever you go.

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Richard Dix is busy saying "No" these days. He said it emphatically when he was asked to let his twins make a nice sum of money by appearing in a picture, and he said it again when he was invited to go to Australia to make one.

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Katherine Hepburn's sister Marion, who is younger and prettier than the temperamental Katherine (she's seventeen), hasn't the slightest interest in appearing in the movies. Still in college, she's doing social settlement work in Chicago for two months, as part of her college course. She posed without protest for newspaper photographers, and then went back to her work.

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Don't see "A Night at the Opera," the Marx Brothers' latest, unless

you like completely goofy pictures. It's quite mad. The only sane thing is the really lovely singing by Kitty Carlisle and Allan Jones, the young man whom, it's said, will forge straight ahead as a singing actor after this performance.

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New Orleans ought to take a new interest in the movies now; five girls from there have been given three month's contracts, with options, by Paramount. They are Louise Small, Ann Evers, Jeanne Perkins, Jill Deen and Wilma Francis—not that it does any good to give their names, because, of course, they'll be called something else once they land in Hollywood.

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ODDS AND ENDS . . . Erroll Flynn seems to be set as a star; his picture is breaking a lot of attendance records . . . Gladys Swarthout and Fred Astaire, ignoring that little matter of high taxes, are building in Hollywood . . . The motion picture colony in Hollywood lost its heart to Governor Allred, of Texas, as soon as it met him . . . How do you like Bing Crosby's variety show, on the air, in the spot that used to be Paul Whiteman's? . . . They say we'll see more all-color pictures than ever this year.

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ANNABELLE'S ANSWERS

By RAY THOMPSON



DEAR ANNABELLE: WHO INVENTED THE WORLD'S FIRST CURE FOR BALDNESS?

SHINYPATE.

Dear Shinypate: A FRENCHMAN—HE CALLED IT THE GUILLOTINE!

Annabelle.

"As the Duty of Every Day Requires," Is Simple Rule

Resolve when you awake that it shall be to some faithful purpose, and that your renovated powers shall be obedient to him who has renewed them.

Let not the opportunity that is so fleeting and yet so full pass neglected away.—Frothingham.

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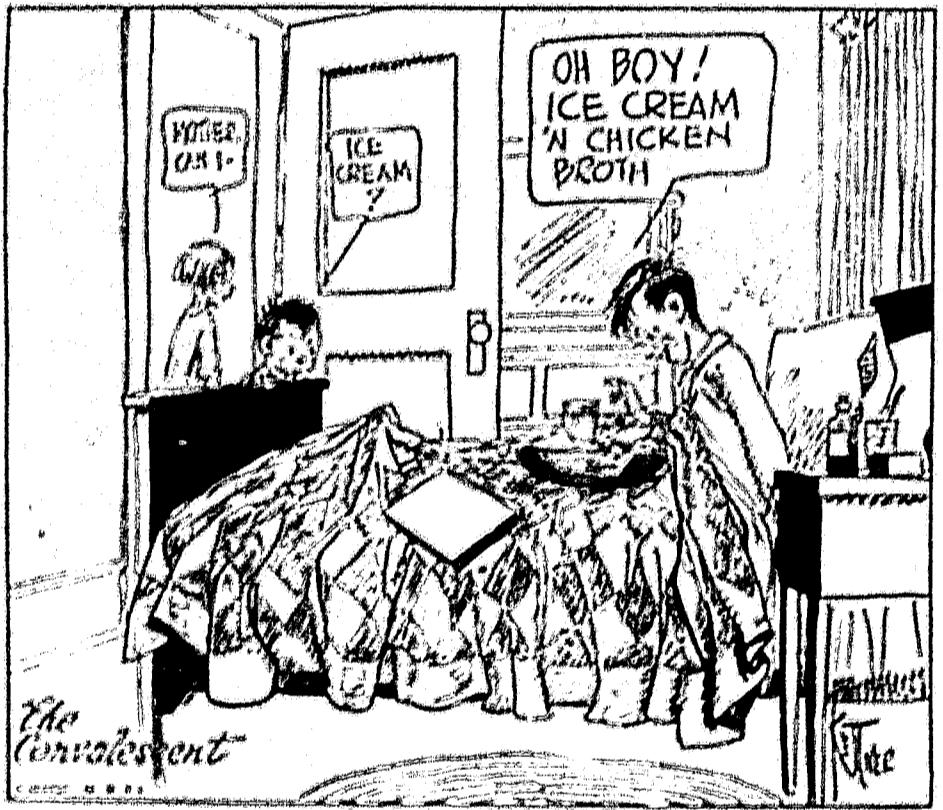
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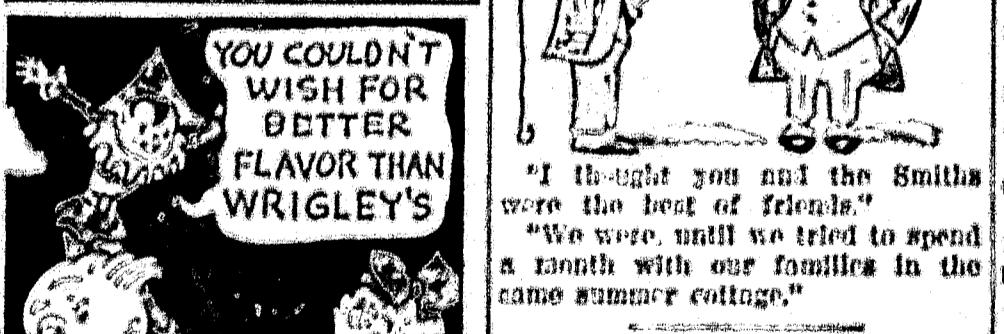
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17 INCHES IN DIAMETER,
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Events in the Lives of Little Men



Atta Boy!
Overhead on a dance floor the
other night:
"How say little girl, do your eyes
believe you?"
"Not 'ow why?"
"How well, they bother me!" —
Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.



"I thought you and the Smiths were the best of friends."

"We were, until we tried to spend a month with our families in the same summer cottage."

In the Suburbs
Galler If w far is your house
from the car line?
Girl About five minutes' walk, if you run.

WRIGLEY'S
SPEARMINT
THE PERFECT GUM

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THE FEATHERHEADS

By JOHN BLAKE
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SUCH IS LIFE

By Charles Sughro

Not Golden



SNOW SUIT! D'YOU THINK?
THE GOOSE THAT LAYS THE GOLDEN EGGS?



OH, NO, POP! NOT THAT ONE!

Her Sole Admirer
She had spoken sharply to her tiny son, and he resented it bitterly. A few moments later, she heard him asking the maid, "Do you like my mother?"

"Why, certainly I do," said the surprised maid.

"Well," sighed the pride of the house, "It's a good thing somebody does!" — Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Brother Speaks Up
Warden—Who gave the bride away?

Connolly—Her little brother. He stood up in the middle of the ceremony and yelled: "Hurrah, Annie, you've got him at last!"

Service on Saturday
Traveler (at small-town railroad station)—What time is it?
Agent—Tuesday.

Traveler—I mean what hour? I have to catch a train.

Agent—Tuesday's near enough. Tain't no train 'll Saturday anyhow.

A Problem About This Time of Year



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THE OXFORD COUNTY CITIZEN, BETHEL, MAINE, JANUARY 30, 1936

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Idolatry of Self-Destruction.

SANTA MONICA, CALIF.—Once upon a time there was a strange race that, while in some ways quite civilized, yet worshiped a murderous and a monstrous god.

Now this god demanded human sacrifice. He had high priests who ministered to his images; he had countless devotees who traveled about, gathering in the victims to feed his cravings. The feeble and the careless, the aged dodderer and the unwary child—these were the favorite offsprings. Yet the collectors spared none at all, neither the strong nor the halt nor the helpless. Often, in their madness, they destroyed one another. Each year the cruel tally mounted—so many thousands dead, so many hundreds of thousands crippled and broken.

These curious people lived in a place called America, and the god they worshiped was called Speed.

The World-Problem-Solvers.
I'M CONSTANTLY running into somebody who knows exactly what's wrong with the world and what ought to be done about it, but can't make up his mind whether to have his eggs fried on one side or turned over.

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At lunch today, I encountered one gentleman who could diagnose all our political and economic ills—just like that!—and name the remedies, too. In fact he did name quite a few while I was looking after the check. And yet I know for a positive fact that his wife won't let him pick out his own neckties and he can't be trusted to cross the street by himself, owing to not being able to decide off-hand which automobile he prefers to be hit by.

The Passing of Kipling.

TWENTY-THREE years ago, I visited Rudyard Kipling at his home in Sussex. Gracious in his hospitality, he nevertheless was already showing signs of the mania for seclusion, which, following the death of his only son in the World war, made of him an entrenched recluse.

He shunned people; he shunned things; he shunned the pageantry of life. He developed an active dislike for Americans—the people whom he once loved and who constituted perhaps his most loyal following. He became that most lamentable of figures among literary folk—the spot marked "D," denoting where a quenched genius was last seen.

Most of us who write are but as simulators and assemblers. Here was a real creator, and real creators don't happen often. His jungle books and his barrack-room ballads; his Mulvaney and his Kim—these will live while men read English and speak it. May that be balm to his passing soul!

Acting for the Movies.

OUT here on this lot, we're finishing up the first moving picture in which Ya Scribe has had a real chance to give his all to art. The picture's to be called "Everybody's Old Man"—that is, unless the producers change their minds at the last minute, as is customary, and retitle it "The Rollo Boys in an Igloo" or something.

None of us seemed to feel it while we were shooting scenes, but if everybody is as tired as the old man is, they won't have to rock anybody to sleep. The head cameraman goes,

on a rest cure soon, and the director's wife just telephoned that she's a little bit worried about him—he keeps hearing brass bands playing, and a while ago he ran out and tried to stop a runaway horse that wasn't there.

Tattooed Ladies.

IN A theatrical paper I read that one of the most copiously illustrated tattooed ladies in the business is fixing to be divorced from a husband who's also of the sideshow profession. I remember the lady well, sitting on a platform and, in response to requests, slowly turning around so the audience could see what she had to say on the other side.

Well, every man to his taste, but I've always figured life would be kind of fascinating with a tattooed lady to a helpmate. Any time you got tired of talking, you could ask her to let you look at the pictures.

Namesakes of Heroes.

IT'S getting so you can tell when twenty-one years have passed since some great national figure—a president, or maybe a military hero—was at the peak of his popularity. It's when a lot of his namesakes get too old for the reform school and are just the right age for the penitentiary. Once in a while one of the crop goes into the ministry, but apparently not enough of them to make much difference.

IRVIN S. COBB.

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Musical Instruments Are
Made From Many Materials

"Instrument-makers," according to the Technology Review, "have tried many materials, ranging from the early use of sea shells, the horns and bones of animals, and wood, to clay, gold, silver, bronze, ivory, hard rubber, nickel, the plastics, and the metal alloys.

"In the making of wind instruments . . . the manufacturer seeks materials which may be readily shaped to various intricate designs.

"Wind-instruments are far more complicated than their appearance indicates. A saxophone, one of the most simple, has no fewer than 548 separate parts, with 23 tone-holes and 53 key-posts.

"French and Sousa horns are still more intricate. Some of them contain as much as 17 feet of tubing."

The development of modern wind instruments owes nearly as much to scientists as musicians. It is especially indebted to the genius of scientifically-minded Antoine Joseph Sax, the son of Charles Joseph Sax, a Belgian musical instrument maker.

"The older Sax improved the clarinet, and the son, working with him, made so many contributions that he is known as the father of modern wind instrument structure. To those who think of the saxophone as a comparatively new instrument, it will be surprising to learn that Antoine Sax designed it in 1848. Although he worked chiefly in brass, Sax also made wood winds which became famous among European musicians. . . . He died in Paris in 1911."

Keeping Busy

"The man dat tells everything he knows," said Uncle Eben, "is liable to keep so busy talkin' he hasn't time to find out anything wuth tellin'."

Musical Instruments Classified

Musical instruments are classified according to the way the sound is produced. There are stringed instruments, wind instruments and percussion instruments.

Use of Double Negative

In Anglo-Saxon, Greek, French and some other languages, the double negative acts only as a negative intensifier. In modern English it destroys the force of the real negative; in other words, two negatives make an affirmative.

IDEAL SPORT HAT

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

Here is one of the newer sports hats. Mary Carlisle, known in film stardom, wears this new spring hat with her smart checked tailored suit. Here you get a "perfect picture" of what is to be this spring.



OF INTEREST TO
THE HOUSEWIFE

Flower pots used in the house are made very decorative if painted with water color paints.

A bottle of furniture polish rubbed into clean dry mop will give hard-wood floors an excellent polish.

Maple syrup mixed with confectioners sugar to which a little butter or cream is added makes a delicious frosting for cakes.

Neck pieces of beef and lamb make delicious soups and stews.

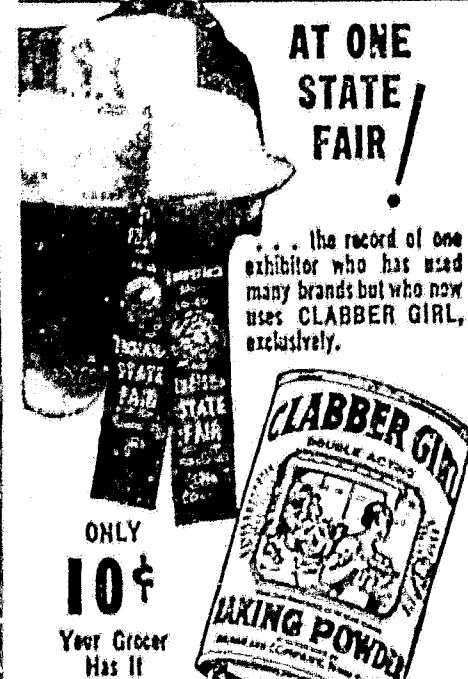
To remove dust from upholstered furniture cover the surface with a large turkish towel that has been wrung out of water to which a tablespoon of ammonia has been added. Beat with carpet sweeper and all dust will adhere to towel.

To keep the coffee pot sweet fill it with water to which one tablespoon of soda has been added and set on the stove until water boils.

A noted chemist gives us the information that science has discovered that it is not dangerous to leave canned foods in the can after it has been opened. They remain in better condition until eaten if the unused portion is kept in the can. There is nothing about the can that will contribute to the spoilage of food.

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SUNSET REBEKAH LODGE

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the hearts of those with whom he
lived than has this gallant gentle-
man whose loss we mourn today.

FRIDAY FEBRUARY 7
Lord's Orchestra
Ladies 15c Gent's 25c

